

INCIDENTS IN FLOOD-GRIPPED SECTIONS

TEN PRISONERS NERVOUS.
Columbus, March 28.—Prisoners at the penitentiary became nervous at 4 p. m. yesterday when back-water flooded the basements of the prison buildings.
With a boat, Lineman Bert Dun-
shire of the fire department rescued an alarm box from Long and Water streets, which was surrounded by water. Officials feared the mechanism would be destroyed by the wa-

HAULING AWAY CARS.
Columbus, March 28.—After officials of the Toledo & Ohio Central had made a careful investigation, running all the way from South Columbus to the Sandusky Street bridge, orders were issued at 1 p. m. to move all of the cars, empty as well as loaded, to the high grounds northwest of the city. Here the railroad has long sidings, and soon these miles of track were filled with cars.

WOMAN MOVES GOLDFISH.
Columbus, March 28.—A West Side matron yesterday was carrying her goldfish aquarium to a moving van.
B. F. Kerr, merchant, tried to admonish her that goldfish are accustomed to water and would not be hurt by a flood.
She answered that her fish had been treated to "balanced ration" feeding and might find it hard to subsist on plain river water.

DANGER REMOTE AT DAYTON.
Dayton, O., March 28.—While it is probable that the Great Miami will reach a stage in excess of 13 feet, according to Weather Forecaster Young's prediction yesterday, it is not believed the river will reach the 14.7 feet stage recorded late in January when conditions were threatening. At 7 o'clock yesterday the river stood at 8.7 feet and from that time it has risen more steadily but more slowly.

LOWLANDS ARE FLOODED.
Upper Sandusky, O., March 28.—With Timothee Creek and Broken-sword on a rampage, and Sandusky River rising rapidly and flooding lowlands for miles, Wyandot county is threatened with a repetition of the 1913 flood. The Sandusky River is a mile wide near this city, with a rushing torrent marking the channel. Serious damage to many newly constructed roads and bridges is threatened.

FLOOD CLOSES MILL.
Youngstown, O., March 28.—The steady rise of the Mahoning river here caused the stream to overflow its banks at many points and caused alarm and inconvenience. One of the mills of the Republic Iron and Steel company was forced to close on account of water backing into gas tunnels. The river is 9 feet above normal, but it is believed that the crest of the flood has passed.
The feeling of panic among the people is now disappearing.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio: Rains Tonight, Slightly Colder East Portion; Wednesday Partly Cloudy.

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Ten Cents a Week

QUICK DRIVE FOR VILLA

General Pershing is now arranging for a quick cavalry drive in the hope of closing in on Villa Band.

Associated Press Dispatch.
FIELD HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, COLONIA DUBLAN; BY WIRELESS TO COLUMBUS, N. M., MARCH 28.
GENERAL PERSHING WAS TODAY TO BE PREPARING TO CLOSE IN ON VILLA WITH A QUICK CAVALRY DRIVE.
A BODY OF PICKED CAVALRYMEN HAS BEEN CONCENTRATED FOR THIS PURPOSE SOMEWHERE SOUTH OF NAMAQUIPA.

Associated Press Dispatch.
El Paso, Texas, March 28.—The result of Francisco Villa may be hampered, if not actually halted, unless Mexican railroads are made available as the mainline of communication for the American army in Mexico.
Military men expressed that view yesterday, after studying dispatches from the front to the effect that Villa was still in full flight southward and meeting with little if any opposition.

The American forces are now more than 200 miles below the border. Every mile the Mexican bandit advances into the interior increases the difficulty of maintaining the already extended line of American communication.
Motor trucks are being rushed to the army base at Columbus, N. M., to help keep up the necessary movement of supplies to the field headquarters.

Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, March 28.—The War Department today prepared a memorandum to General Carranza, requesting for an immediate reply to a request for permission to use Mexican railroads in supplying American troops in pursuit of Villa. The memorandum will be forwarded probably late today.
It will point out that the problem of supplying troops is a pressing one and that there is no need for delay until the protocol covering the general subject is signed.
General Carranza's suggestions as to modifications of the protocol are

still under consideration in the State Department.

SENT BACK FOR SAFETY

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Galveston, Texas, March 28.—American women and children at Tampico, Mexico, have been sent to the United States as a precautionary measure, according to information reaching here today.

APPROPRIATION BILL IS PASSED FOR ARMY COST

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, March 28.—The House today passed an emergency appropriation of \$8,611,502, to pay for the added strength of the army and the expenses of the punitive expedition into Mexico.
Representative London, Socialist, was the only member voting against the appropriation.
Debate was continued on the immigration bill, with prospect of a vote before night.

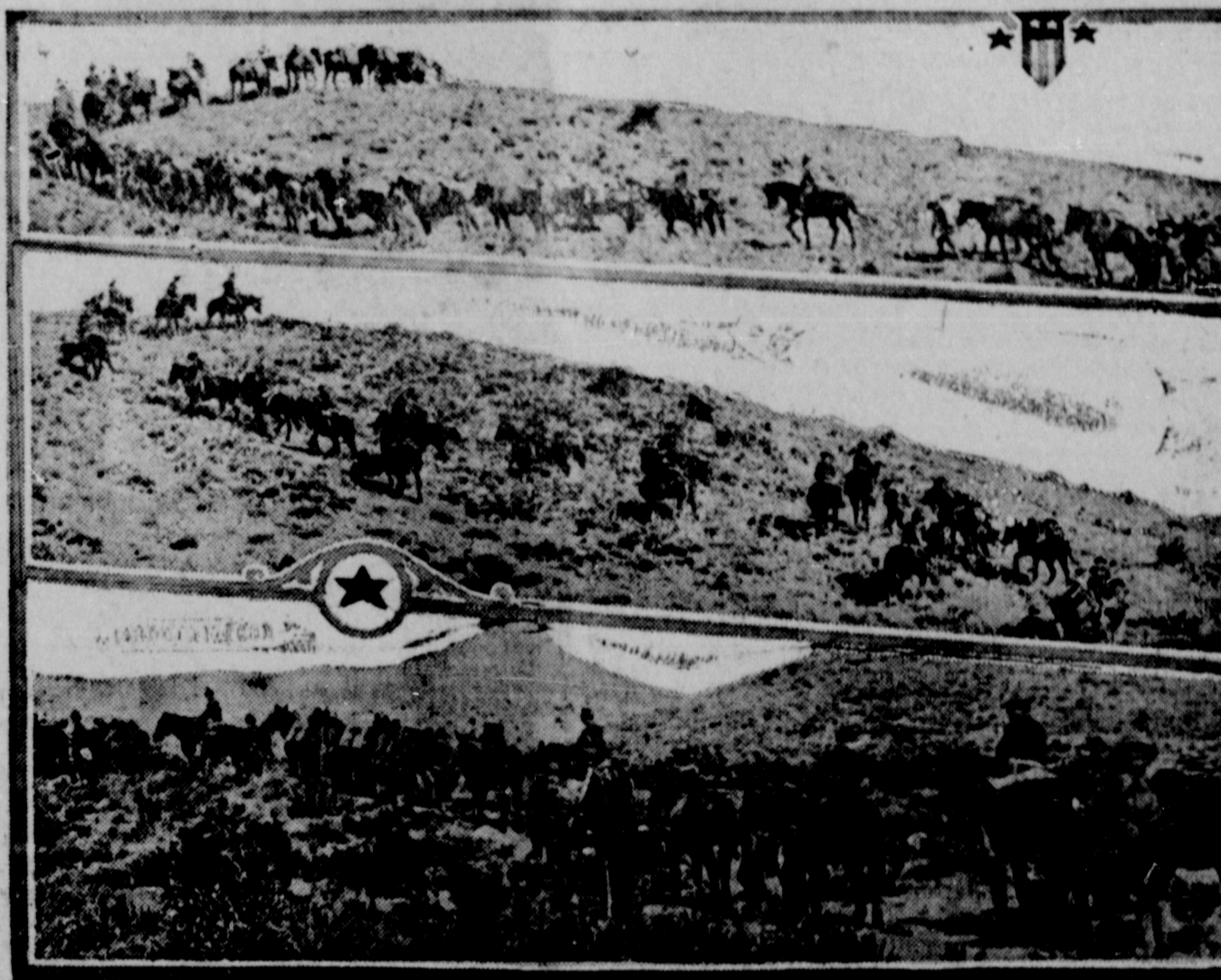
PUT OFF!

Washington, March 28.—By a vote of 10 to 9, the House Judiciary Committee today voted to postpone indefinitely consideration of all suffrage and prohibition proposals now before it.

FLOODS GENERAL

Washington, March 28.—Serious flood conditions were reported to the Weather Bureau today throughout the Central States, particularly in southern Michigan, at Buffalo, N. Y., and in Central Pennsylvania.
Bay City, Michigan, Flint, Michigan, Battle Creek and Grand Rapids were partially inundated, and vast areas of country districts were under water.
Several square miles of South Buffalo, N. Y., were flooded.

TROOPS IN MEXICO CLIMBING A MOUNTAIN



Photos by Paramount Pictures Corporation.
American soldiers necessarily make slow progress as they ascend mountains in chasing Villa. These photographs just received from Mexico show how roundabout they must travel to reach the top of a peak.

GERARD WILL ASK GERMANY

Ambassador Instructed to Inquire if Submarines Torpedoed Sussex.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, March 28.—The United States has inquired of Germany, through Ambassador Gerard, whether any of its submarines torpedoed the British channel steamer Sussex.

Secretary Lansing announced after the Cabinet meeting today that it had been decided to make such an inquiry, and later it was learned that inquiry had been made, and in fact probably is already in Berlin.

The present status of the communication is that of an inquiry.

It has not advanced to the stage of a protest or a demand.

WITHOUT WARNING

(Associated Press Cable)
London, March 28.—Two American citizens who were on board the

British steamer Manchester are reported to have made affidavits before an American consul that the vessel was torpedoed without warning.

FIGHTING REPORTED

(Associated Press Cable)

Berlin, March 28.—Lively fighting has developed on the Franco-Belgian front south of St. Eloi, according to today's German official statement.

TWO PERSONS DIE IN FIRE

Police Believe Fire to Have Been of Incendiary Origin. Girl Confesses.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Cleveland, O., March 28.—Fire in an apartment house on Prospect avenue, which caused the death of two persons and the serious injury of several others here early this morning, is believed by the police to be of incendiary origin.

This afternoon detectives said they had obtained a confession from Miss Bessie Reimer that she accidentally set fire to the building in an attempt to commit suicide.

Three men and one woman besides Miss Reimer are held at police headquarters in connection with the fire.

The fire started in Miss Reimer's room. All five persons implicated by the police are involved in a White Slave investigation.

Detectives say they will probably place a charge of murder and perhaps arson against Miss Reimer.

THREE DEAD TWENTY HURT

Mine Explosion in West Virginia, the Authorities Fear, Has Caught Miners in Cave In.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Bluefield, W. Va., March 28.—An explosion occurred this morning in the King Coal Company's mine at Kimball, near here.

Four dead have already been taken from the mine, and it is feared a number of others have been killed.

A hurried canvass of the town showed about 100 miners missing, and at the mine it was said they were probably trapped behind masses of coal and slate blown down by the explosion.

Hundreds of persons assembled at the mine, among them many skilled miners who aided in the rescue work.

Soon after the four dead had been located, rescuers found four other men, all badly burned.

It was not known just how many men were in the zone affected by the blast.

Latest reports indicate that three men were killed and twenty seriously injured in the mine explosion.

VERDUN INACTIVE

Paris Reports German Trench Blown Up—Vienna Declares Russian Activity in Galicia Has Slackened.

British Airmen Make Successful Raid on Turkish Advanced Base—Sussex Disaster Not Expected to Exceed 50 Dead.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, March 28.—The infantry continues inactive before Verdun, and even the artillery fire in the Vaux-Douaumont region east of the Meuse has slackened.

The German guns have resumed a heavy fire west of the river, however, shelling the French lines south of Malancourt.

A surprise attack by the French in the Forest of Paroy is reported by Paris, a German trench being blown up, after which the attacking force withdrew with some prisoners.

Bitter fighting is again taking place along the Austro-Italian front.

The Austrians launched an attack on Vai Piccolo, taking a trench; but in counter attacks the Italian forces not only succeeded in reconquering the position, but took Austrian trenches elsewhere on the front, according to the Rome headquarters' report.

Vienna declares that the Russian activity in Galicia has slackened.

British airmen have made a successful raid on a Turkish advance base 100 miles east of the Suez Canal, the aviators dropping 40 bombs and doing extensive damage.

London figures on the damage done to shipping since Germany's new submarine campaign was begun, show that in less than a fortnight, beginning March 15, vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 7,000 have been sunk, one third of this tonnage belonging to neutrals.

Today the sinking of the British steamer Empress of Midland is reported. The crew was saved.

Casualties from the explosion which damaged the steamer Sussex are not expected to exceed fifty, the steamer's agents announce.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MEN WHO FELL AT COLUMBUS



Last rites being performed for the United States soldiers who were killed in the fight with Villa's band at Columbus, N. M.



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OBJECT TO PREPAREDNESS

(By American Press)
Peekskill, N. Y., March 28.—The New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal church adopted a resolution opposing all preparedness for war and all warlike preparations except "what is needful to protect the weak and helpless." The conference expressed "regret and horror" over the holding of the Willard-Moran fight and protested unanimously by resolution against "the brutalizing effects of such exhibitions."

LINER SENT DOWN

(By American Press)
London, March 28.—The British steamship Manchester Engineer, which sailed from Philadelphia on March 11, for Manchester, is reported to have been sunk. The vessel was of 2,813 tons net. Captain Smith commanded the Manchester Engineer.

Berlin, March 28.—A French transport carrying troops away from Salonica struck a mine and sank with a large loss of life, according to Athens dispatches. Only seventy-three persons were rescued.

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MODERN WOODMAN CLASS ADOPTION.

The Modern Woodmen of America will hold a class adoption Thursday evening, March 30, at Red Men's Hall. Camp will open at 7 p. m. Degree work will commence at 7:30 p. m. Sabina's crack team will have charge of the initiation work.

State Lecturer McDonald will be the principal speaker. M. M. Redding, District Deputy Head Counsel of Columbus, will also speak, and other prominent Woodmen are expected to be present.

Modern Woodmen from all the surrounding camps are invited to attend. After the degree work refreshments will be served.

Fayette Camp 4242 has started a four months' campaign for new members, starting out with forty applications secured for March.

The Modern Woodmen of America is having phenomenal growth, having added 12,857 new members for the month of February, 1916, and over 80,000 for 1915.

Every Modern Woodman is urged to be present.

C. L. MILLER,
Chief Forester.

NOTICE TO REBEKAHS AND ODD FELLOWS

The men of Imperial Rebekah Lodge will entertain all Rebekahs, Odd Fellows and their wives, on Wednesday evening, March 29, at the I. O. O. F. Temple. A good time and a square meal for a dime.

COMMITTEE.

RUMMAGE SALE.

The Welfare Association will hold a Rummage Sale sometime in April. Persons having clothing or house furnishings which they wish us to call for, please call Automatic 6621 or 7031.

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SECRETARY.

MASQUERADE.

Ladie Maccabees at Red Men's hall Tuesday, March 28th. Admission 10c. Everybody invited.

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COMMITTEE.

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DR. ANGELL ILL

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 28.—Sinking rapidly during the past twenty-four hours, physicians hold out but small hope for Dr. James B. Angell, president emeritus of the University of Michigan. Dr. Angell has been severely ill since his eighty-seventh birthday several weeks ago.

ARMY PLANS WRECKED

Washington, March 28.—Two of the army aeroplanes with the Pershing expedition in Mexico have been destroyed. Announcement to this effect was made at the war department by Secretary Baker. Department officers believe they must have fallen during a scouting flight.

THINGS DOING AT THE MOVIES

PALACE.

Beginning this week the Palace offers each Monday a chapter from "The Iron Claw," the popular Pathe serial of recent release starring Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis, of "Clutching Hand" fame. Next week the first chapter will be repeated, the second accompanying it, for the benefit of those who may not be able to get in at the start.

The Fox feature Tuesday is entitled "The Fool's Revenge," presenting two of Fox's new stars, William Tooker and Maude Gilbert. Carter Dehaven, popular vaudeville and stage artist seen lately in Ohio theaters on Keith time, is the star of the Bluebird feature play Wednesday, "The Wrong Door."

Robert Edson, famous stage celebrity of many successes, is the V. L. S. E. role star in "Mortmain," at the Palace Thursday. "Mortmain" is heralded as one of the greatest of V. L. S. E. triumphs, and is a Vitagraph adaptation from Arthur C. Train's great novel of that name. Muriel Ostriche and James Morrison are among Edson's supports.

Stella Rozeto and Guy Oliver are stars-opposite in another V. L. S. E. feature Friday, "The Circular Staircase," a powerful play taken from the book of that title.

Saturday—Helen Holmes in "The Girl and the Game."

EMPIRE.

Arnold Daly, noted screen actor who will be remembered locally as the co-star of Pearl White in the Craig Kennedy detectives plays, is the lead in "An Affair of Three Nations," a Pathe feature at the Empire Tuesday.

Robert Warwick, another screen celebrity who is a particular favorite of local audiences, is the star of "Sins of Society," at the Empire, Wednesday. This picture is one of unusual attraction. It gets at the most spectacular of Gotham life and includes in its many startling situations the sinking of a troop ship by a submarine.

Thursday is comedy day at the Empire. Its features will include the Keith success "Napoleon the Great."

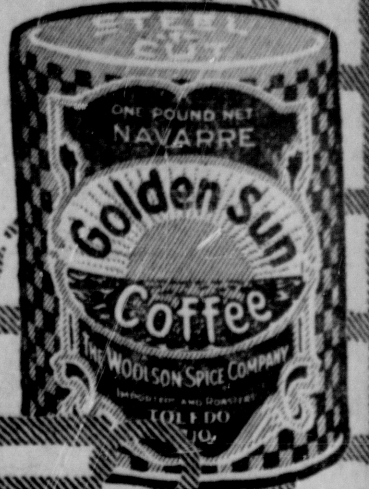
Friday brings Harold Lockwood and May Allison in "The End of the Road," a spectacular drama of the South which has scored a big hit in screendom.

Saturday, the Empire introduces the first chapter of the great serial "The Strange Case of Mary Page," now running in story form in the

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Ladies' World. Henry B. Walthall, rightly called the Mansfield of the Movies, is the male head, supported by Edna Mayo, famous stage beauty. Also, the Empire has Saturday a five part human interest picture, "The Leo Frank Case," based on the celebrated murder trial of last year.

WONDERLAND.

Program not announced.

COLONIAL.

"Honor's Altar" is the eloquent title of the Monday-Tuesday Triangle feature at the Colonial, presenting Miss Bessie Barriscale, a prime favorite in Washington movie circles. As the wife of a poor man, who rises to wealth and seeks to fasten dishonor upon her as a means of ridding himself of her and satisfying his ambitions, Miss Barriscale is seen at her best.

Mack Swain furnishes amusement in plenty in "His Auto Ruination," Monday and Tuesday.

Douglas Fairbanks, who entered the path to stellar glory some months ago in the Triangle masterpiece "The Lamb," is the leading character in "His Picture in the Papers," supported by pretty Loretto Blake. The play is just as "different" as the name promises and recounts the many and odd experiences of a young man who aspired to have his picture in the papers.

"Better Late Than Never," is the title of the Triangle comic Thursday and Friday.

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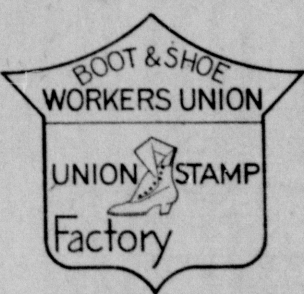
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A Farmer's Good Luck

WE were within about a mile of Findlay, O., and the train had just begun to slacken speed when we felt a jar and knew that the locomotive had struck some considerable object. In the seat next ahead was a farmer, and he threw up the sash, shoved out his head and exclaimed:

"By gum, but I'm in luck!"
"Why, they have killed a horse!" shouted a man behind us as he looked out.
"Yes, and it's my boss!" added the farmer.
"But you said you were in luck?"
"You bet I am! I've been riding up and down this line for five years on a pass they gave me for killing an old cow which wasn't worth \$5. The pass expired yesterday, and now my old boss, who ain't worth skinning, gets in the way and is knocked over. Luck! Why, gents, that means a free family pass for five years more, and there are fourteen of us in the family!"—M. Quad.



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ROAD BUILDING IS DISCUSSED BY COMMITTEE

Committee Favors Paving Main Highways From City Limits to First Intersections—Lewis Pike to Get Attention—Next Meeting Expected to Attract Many Citizens.

The Fayette County Good Roads Committee, which organized Monday held an adjourned meeting at the Probate Judge's office Monday afternoon, and discussed tentative plans for road improvement throughout the county, and particularly near this city where the large amount of traffic has cut the main highways to pieces in an almost unbelievable manner.

A committee was appointed to take up the matter of immediate improvement of the Chillicothe pike from the city limits to the intersection of the Good Hope pike, and in fact wherever immediate attention is in demand on the road.

Another committee was appointed to take up the proposed improvement of the Lewis pike from Paint street intersection to the Devalon road, thus completing the connecting link between this city and the improved Devalon road and paving on the Bloomingburg and Midway pike.

The question of paving the main roads from the city limits to the first road intersection, was discussed at some length, and this will be recommended to the County Commissioners, it is stated.

The paving will probably not all be done, if done at all, for two or three years, and whether under the state aid plan or from the regular road fund or two-mill levy, or all three, is left to the county commissioners.

At the next meeting one week from next Monday, conditions in various townships will be taken up, and in all probability a number of delegations from the various townships will appear before the committee in order that the full sentiment may be ascertained and definite plans decided upon to be recommended to the county commissioners for action.

The next meeting will be held at the Probate Judge's Office which is well adapted to such meetings, and the use of which Judge Allen tenders to all organizations and societies as a meeting place.

CLUB WOMEN IN BABY WEEK CAMPAIGN

Yesterday afternoon in the Welfare rooms representatives of the various clubs and organizations of the city met with the Baby Week committee of the Browning Club, and completed arrangements for the Baby Week Campaign in Washington.

Mrs. Galbreath, one of the active promoters of the Columbus Baby Week addressed the meeting and gave many helpful suggestions.

Registration of babies began yesterday and the number registered was very gratifying to the committee. In order to facilitate matters registration centers have been es-

tablished in the outlying districts. Babies may be registered at Blackmore's grocery, Main street; the residence of Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Sycamore street; Mrs. J. W. Willis, Dayton avenue; Mrs. Reno, Oakland avenue; Mrs. Nina Cripps, in the East End and at the Welfare rooms, corner Main and Market streets.

Baby week opens with special services in all the churches and during the week talks will be made by the local physicians to both parents and pupils in the different school buildings.

The D. A. R., and Eastside Parent-Teachers club will have charge of the program at the Eastend building; the G. A. R. Circle, Cherry Hill Parent-Teacher club and Elmwood Aid Society at Cherry Hill, the W. R. C., Sunny Side Parent-Teacher club and Wesley Mite Society at Sunny-side and the Central Parent-Teacher club and the Browning Club at Central.

Tuesday evening, April 4, Dr. Hollingshead, of the Children's Bureau will deliver an illustrated lecture in the High School Auditorium and Wednesday morning will talk to the school children.

Wednesday evening Miss Freya Kauffman of the O. S. U. Home Economics Department will lecture in the Baptist church.

CREEKS HIGHEST SINCE 1913 FLOOD

Paint creek and other streams in Fayette county Tuesday morning were at higher flood stages than at any time since the memorable flood of March, 1913, when the flood stage passed all previous known records in this community.

The creeks were out of bank all day Monday, and heavy rains north of this city precipitated a fresh avalanche down the streams so that by two o'clock Tuesday morning the creeks had reached their highest point since the 1913 flood, and after remaining stationary for sometime began to recede about six o'clock Tuesday morning.

Considerable damage resulted in the flood plains of the various streams, such as water gates being torn out, soil swept away, and some corn and growing wheat destroyed.

Water stood in many cellars along the creek, and Circle avenue from the D. T. & I. to near Main street was under water.

MRS. SARAH CHANNEL DIES THIS MORNING

Mrs. Sarah Channel died at her home on Columbus avenue at eleven o'clock Tuesday morning. She had been in failing health for the last five years and her death was not unexpected since Sunday of this week when she became much worse.

Mrs. Channel leaves four children: Mrs. Geo. Manneisel of Sabina, Mr. J. W. Channel of Melvin, O., Mrs. Emma A. Thorp of Philadelphia, Pa., and Miss Gertrude of this city, with whom she made her home.

Funeral arrangements will be announced after the arrival of the daughter from Philadelphia.

MOTOR CYCLE ON SIDEWALKS

A full grown motorcycle bearing a full grown man was a sight which residents of one of the city's principal streets beheld on the sidewalk, a day or two ago.

And the man was riding the motorcycle at a good rate of speed.

CATTLE STEALING CASE IS NOW ON IN PIKE COUNTY

First Seven Witnesses Offer Little or No Damaging Evidence Against Accused Men—Several Local Attorneys Working on Case.

The trial of Samuel Whited and Miles Holly, indicted upon a charge of stealing four cattle from a pasture near Bainbridge last November, is moving forward quite rapidly, and up to 2:20 o'clock Tuesday afternoon seven witnesses for the state had been examined, but none from this county had been placed upon the stand.

None of the seven witnesses presented any damaging evidence against the accused men, it was learned in a telephone conversation with one of the attorneys interested in the case.

The work of impaneling the jury was completed Tuesday morning and Attorney Lee Rankin, assisting in the prosecution, made the opening statement to the court and jury on behalf of the state. Attorney Nye Gregg, representing Sam Whited and Attorney John Logan, representing Miles Holly, made statements on behalf of the defendants.

The work of examining witnesses offered by the state was then taken up and progressed rapidly. It was expected that the State would rest sometime before noon Wednesday, after which some two score witnesses will be offered by the defense.

The Wednesday morning train will carry a large number of Fayette county citizens to Waverly.

TWO ADDITIONAL WITNESSES PICKED

James Gilmer and Martin Dyer have been subpoenaed to appear in Common Pleas court in Waverly, Wednesday, to testify in behalf of Sam Whited, accused of the theft of cattle in Pike county.

This brings the total number of witnesses subpoenaed in this county up to 41, most of whom will go to Waverly Wednesday morning.

SMALL ARMY TO MAN TRAINS FOR OUTING

It will require more than 150 men to man the seven all-steel trains which will carry the Dahl-Millikan party on the annual outing the last week in June.

Each of the trains will consist of seven steel pullman coaches, three steel dining cars and pulled by monster new engines.

When Messrs E. V. Baughn of Baltimore general superintendent of dining car service of the B. & O. rail road system and D. A. Galmari, division superintendent of dining car service met with Mr. Wm. M. Campbell, of the Dahl-Millikan Co., Monday arrangements were completed for the serving of nearly 3,000 meals, each meal to be the very best in every respect. Two meals will be served while going east and two meals while returning.

The party will stop at the best hotels in the east. The Dahl-Millikan Co., as usual, bears the expense.

POSTPONE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The annual Fayette County Sunday School Convention has been postponed from the first week in April to the latter part of the same month, no definite dates having been decided upon so far, but the committee will meet Friday and decide the new dates as well as make arrangements for the convention.

Inability to obtain some of the speakers desired is announced as cause for postponement, and by changing the dates the speakers can be here.

DIVORCES AND MARRIAGES EVEN

During the past 27 days just four marriage licenses have been issued in the Probate Court, and four divorce suits were instituted.

The few marriages in so long a time establishes a new record in this county where the number of marriages has never been so low probably in two score years or even half a century.

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PECULIARLY SAD COMPLICATIONS FOLLOW DEATH OF MR. VAN DEMAN

The VanDeman home in Dayton is overwhelmed by a sad and unexpected sequence to the death of Mr. J. N. VanDeman.

The nurse was taken suddenly ill after Mr. VanDeman's death and authorities have pronounced her illness scarlet fever and quarantined the home. Dr. William VanDeman, who arrived from Toledo, Sunday night, is also quite ill.

The sorrow of death is made doubly tragic by these circumstances which have necessitated the doing away with the services to have been held at the home today and the sad burial tomorrow in this city, with the widow and so many of those nearest and dearest prevented from coming.

Three of the sons, Messrs. Fred, Frank and Stanley VanDeman, had not yet arrived from the East when the quarantine was placed and they will be over with the body on the C. H. & D. train Wednesday morning and the funeral arrangements as previously made will be carried out.

The body will be placed in a sealed metallic casket and the health authorities have everything in charge so that it is stated there is absolutely no danger in the removal.

Washington friends will do all in their power to aid the stricken family and give to the dead all that is due in the funeral services to be held at the Memorial Chapel in the Washington cemetery, under such sad auspices Wednesday morning at 10:30.

HANDSOME NEW SIGN FOR CHERRY HOTEL

The work of erecting a mammoth new electrical sign on the southeast corner of the Cherry Hotel was started Tuesday morning, and when the work is completed the sign will stand out sharply by day or night, and be visible from both north and south on Main street and east and west on Market street.

The large sign which previously occupied the space was removed and the workmen then started the work of installing supports and braces in the walls for the huge new sign, which is more than 25 feet high with attractive lettering, and with the large letters carried out with incandescent bulbs.

FEDERALS DEFEAT THE WILEY MIDGETS

The Federals, in a very hotly contested game, defeated the Midgets at the Y. M. C. A., Monday night, with just one point to the good, the score being 16 to 15.

The game was one of the most interesting played between the intermediate teams. The final game of the season will be played within the next few days.

STOCK SALES DRAW MANY TO THE CITY

Regardless of bad road conditions, quite a good sized crowd attended the monthly stock sales in this city and many horses changed hands at good prices.

The demand for good work horses was most pronounced, many farmers desiring the animals for preparing the soil and cultivating the crops.

REGISTRATION CENTERS

Mothers who wish to register their babies for physical examination may do so at Blackmore's grocery, Main street; Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Sycamore St.; Mrs. J. W. Willis, Dayton avenue; Mrs. Reno, Oakland avenue; Mrs. Nina Cripps, Lewis street; Welfare rooms, Main and Market.

Babies may be registered by telephone.

TOMORROW

ROBERT WARWICK IN

The Sins of Society

Matinee 2:30 for ladies and children.

First night show 7:00. Second 8:15

Admission 10c to all

PALACE TONIGHT

Fox Feature—Maud Gilbert and Wm. Tooker in

"THE FOOL'S REVENGE"

If a Fox Feature you know It Has Class To It

First show 6:45. Second 8:00. Third 9:15

TOMORROW

Carter DeHaven and Flora Parker DeHaven in

"THE WRONG DOOR"

Coming Soon - "Damaged Goods."

Matinee Every Day This Week

GOOD POETRY NOT POPULAR. We Pretend to Like It, but Really Do Not, Affirms a Critic.

The man in the trolley car, the woman in the rocking chair, the clerk, the doctor, the manufacturer, most lawyers and some ministers would if their hearts were opened give simply a categorical negative. They do not like it; in either case with the same result.

The rhythm annoys them (little wonder since they usually read it as prose). The time seems needless, the inversions, the compressions, perplex their minds to no valuable end. Speaking honestly, they do not like poetry. And if their reason is the old one—

I do not like you, Doctor Fell. The reason why I cannot tell.

It is none the less effective.

Here in America especially when we like poetry we like it none too good. The "old favorites" are almost all platitudinous in thought and monotonous in rhythm. We prefer sentiment and have a weakness for slush. Pathos seems to us better than tragedy, anecdote than wit. Longfellow was and is except in metropolitan centers our favorite "classical" poet.

The truth is that many of the intelligent in our population skip poetry in their reading just because it is poetry. They read no poetry or they read bad poetry occasionally or they read good poetry badly.—Henry Seidel Canby in Harper's Magazine.

OUR BUFFALO NICKELS.

They Carry a True Portrait of the American Indian.

The Indian head and buffalo nickels were first put in circulation Feb. 22, 1913, at the ceremonies inaugurating the memorial to the North American Indian at Fort Wadsworth, when the new coin was produced by Dr. George F. Kunz. The first one was given to President Taft, and others were distributed among the Indian chiefs present.

The design was prepared for the treasury department by James Earle Fraser, who was one of Augustus St. Gaudens' assistants at Cornish, N. H., and who did the St. Gaudens medal for the Pan-American exposition, the statue of Jefferson for the St. Louis

On the climbing hill roads in western China on the lower slopes of Omei, the sacred mountain, may be seen now and then a motley procession of Chinese of all ranks wearing strings of "cash" around their necks and carrying yellow bags, bound for the presence of the many shrines. The strings of cash are for the mendicants, inseparable concomitant of worship in the Orient.

The road leads upward through forests of ash and pine, pleasantly cool after the heat of the eastern plains. Some of the wealthier are carried on uncomfortable little wooden saddles strapped to the backs of coolies, but the majority seek salvation on foot. As one pants higher and higher one comes to the first of the monasteries, new structure, low and cool. Almost all the monasteries are new.

Mount Omei is uncomfortably close to heaven in some ways. Lightning bolts strike the buildings frequently and the whole top has been burned over again and again. Nevertheless more than 2,000 monks dwell here, and to fulfill all their duty the pious must burn tapers before sixty-two shrines. There is the Hall of the Tranquil Heart and the Gate of Heaven, through which you come to the Monastery of Everlasting Joy.

The most beautiful spot on Mount Omei is a jutting ledge above an almost bottomless precipice. The spot is called the Rejection of the Body. Many a mystic, intoxicated by endless distance and dizzying height, has solved here all the problems of religion by a single step over the brink.—Argonaut.

JOS. I. TAGGART

"The Life Insurance Man."

RACE TONIGHT

There will be an Amateur Championship Race

AT THE

SKATING RINK TONIGHT

Contestants: John Donohue, Beryl Williams, Carroll Ford

Admission 5c. Skates 10 and 20c

The rink will be open every afternoon and night until Saturday, April 1st, inclusive.

YOUR LAST CHANCE TO SEE

Bessie Berriscale

IN

Honor's Altar

AT THE

COLONIAL

TONIGHT

A modern society drama, dealing with a self-made man who tries to rid himself of the wife of his youth, whom he thinks beneath his social standing.

In conjunction will also present Triangle Comedy entitled

His Auto Ruination

Admission 10c. First show 6:45, 2d 8:15

THURSDAY—Douglas Fairbanks in "His Name in The Papers."

Coming: Billie Burke in Peggy.

POSTPONE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The annual Fayette County Sunday School Convention has been postponed from the first week in April to the latter part of the same month, no definite dates having been decided upon so far, but the committee will meet Friday and decide the new dates as well as make arrangements for the convention.

Inability to obtain some of the speakers desired is announced as cause for postponement, and by changing the dates the speakers can be here.

DIVORCES AND MARRIAGES EVEN

During the past 27 days just four marriage licenses have been issued in the Probate Court, and four divorce suits were instituted.

The few marriages in so long a time establishes a new record in this county where the number of marriages has never been so low probably in two score years or even half a century.

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We commend him most cordially to all. Get acquainted with Mr. Mitchener, if you do not already know him. He is worthy of your confidence. He will give you good service. You can depend upon him. You will like him.

Yours truly,

J. I BEHLING, General Agent Central Ohio, Brunson Building, Columbus, O.

ALL STARS WIN IN FINAL GAME

Smith Brothers and All Stars Tie When Time is Called, But All Stars Run Away From Opponents in Final Five Minutes.

The All Stars are still entitled to their title, and will still retain their brilliancy at least until the season opens next year, having defeated the Smith Brothers' team in a hard game on the Gym floor Monday night.

The game was unusually rough and not a little exciting, with the crowd cheering for their respective favorites and urging them on to still greater efforts in the last game of the season.

At the close of the first half the Smith Brothers had the long end of a 15 to 7 score, Pyley refereeing the first half.

The second half was more exciting and when time was sounded both had 25 points, and five minutes was allowed to play off the tie.

It was a critical time and the All Stars put their best efforts to the fore, running their score up eight points while Smith Brothers made only two additional points, leaving the final score 33 to 27. Patton refereed the last half and the play-off.

Schlabach was the star of the Stars and Earl Smith was the star of the Smith Brothers' team. Schlabach, as one of the forwards, made eight field goals and two foul goals. Smith, as center, made four field goals and seven foul goals.

The line-ups: All Stars—Forwards, Hays and Schlabach; Center, Johnson; Guards, Strevey and Peterson.

Smith Brothers — Forwards, Homer and Paul; Center, Earl; Guards, Orville and Claude.

SEYMOUR NABBED CARRIED PACKAGE

Tom Seymour, white was placed under arrest and locked up until he could sober up and face His Honor the Mayor later in the day, Tuesday.

Chief Moore also went out to pick up a man and his wife who also are alleged to have been imbibing too freely.

Is a novel form of policy as important as low management expense in your life insurance company? W. M. Mitchener.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. Claude Saxton was a visitor in Columbus Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Rogers of Columbus, is visiting Mrs. Grant Hays.

Mrs. L. O. Tullis and Miss Tullis are spending the week in Newark.

Mrs. Abe Kessell arrived from Cincinnati, for a visit with Mr. Kessell.

Jesse Worley returned Monday evening from visits in Delaware and Columbus.

Miss Leola Rodgers returned Tuesday morning from a five weeks' visit in Springfield.

Mrs. Ed Roose came over from Springfield for a visit Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Frank Tharp came over from Dayton Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloomer.

Supt. Mm. McClain, wife and daughter, Miss Eleanor, returned Monday night from London.

Mrs. J. B. Davies of Jeffersonville was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Fultz, Monday.

Miss Mable Houp is spending the spring vacation week in Wilmington.

Mrs. Willis Jones, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting Mrs. Margaret Colwell and Mrs. Alice Moorman.

Mr. Harry Wilkins spent Tuesday in Columbus, called by the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Lewis Mark is visiting Mrs. Clayton Trout, in Springfield this week.

Mrs. Neil B. Jones is rallying nicely from the operation of Monday at the Fayette Hospital.

Mrs. Mabel Wright and little son Clyde, returned Tuesday morning from a visit in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. U. W. Cannon of Jeffersonville are shopping visitors here today.

Mr. Allen E. Pearson left for the east Monday after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Boynton Gage.

Mrs. Marcus W. Crocker and daughter Florence of Columbus are the guests of Mrs. E. E. Ginn and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis and

children were the guests of Mrs. Lewis' mother, Mrs. J. L. Chapman, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dahl left Tuesday for New York, to visit their daughters, Misses Charlotte and Nina Dahl.

Miss Stella West, daughter of Mr. C. P. West, underwent a throat operation at the Fayette Hospital, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Junk and daughter Mary Katharine, are spending the day the guests of Miss Etta Junk at Austin.

Mr. Fred Carpenter arrives from Toledo Tuesday evening to visit his parents, Judge and Mrs. F. G. Carpenter.

Isabel and Helen Bliss Enderlin, of Chillicothe, are spending the spring vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Paul.

Miss Vera Veal entertained Mrs. Lucy Bold, of Canal Dover, Worthy Grand Matron, O. E. S., the past two days for the O. E. S. inspection of Monday night.

Messrs. Earl and Claude Smith of Canton, have been the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith, of the Columbus pike, for several days.

Mrs. Carl E. Pyley returned Monday evening to her home in Columbus after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy, north of town.

Mrs. L. C. Price, of Circleville, member of the National Board of Home Missions, has been the guest of Mrs. Ed Pine the past two days, to attend the O. E. S. inspection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kinnear came down from Columbus, Tuesday to visit Mrs. Kinnear's mother, Mrs. Ellen Cissna, and sister, Mrs. N. S. Barnett.

Clare Frances Snider returned to her home in Columbus Monday evening, after a visit with her uncle, Mr. W. B. Snider, and family. Mr. Snider accompanied her home.

Mrs. J. Star Smith leaves Wednesday morning for Detroit, Mich., to visit Mrs. Hibben Ervin and daughter, Mrs. Jennie Bailey. She will also visit an aunt in Toronto, Canada, before returning.

Miss Virginia Campbell is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Campbell, in Bainbridge and will join Miss Susanne Lannius in Chillicothe for a visit with Miss Lannius' relatives later in the week.

Mr. D. S. Cochran, Superintendent of the Fayette Canning Company of this city, is back from a week's stay in New York state, where he found the mercury below zero, snow 30 inches in depth and snow drifts 15 feet deep.

Dr. McAlister of Highland brought to the Hodson Hospital Monday, Mrs. John Taylor, of Highland, to undergo a major operation, performed by Dr. G. S. Hodson. The patient is resting as comfortably as possible today.

Mrs. S. E. Patton left Tuesday morning for Grove City, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Jess Grant. She was accompanied as far as Columbus by her brother, Mr. Chas. Darnell, of Bainbridge, who has been visiting her, and who goes on to New York to visit his daughter.

BROWNING CLUB TONIGHT.

Regular meeting of Browning Club tonight at 7:30. Full attendance urged.

ROYAL CHAPTER HOLDS INSPECTION

The annual inspection of Royal Chapter No. 29, O. E. S., passed off successfully Monday night, with a large attendance at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Martha R. Mark, Worthy Matron, and Mr. Wilfred N. Hays, Worthy Patron, were the presiding officers and the smoothness and perfection of the work drew high praise from the inspecting officer, Mrs. Lucy Bold, of Canal Dover, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mrs. Wm. Waddell was the candidate.

After the work refreshments were served in the banquet hall and there was a delightful social hour.

The presence of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Bold, and Past Grand Matron, Mrs. Bessie Boice, now Grand Secretary, was much appreciated.

Additional out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Trevor, Mrs. George Swope, of Springfield; Mrs. Belle Rector, Williamsport; Mrs. L. C. Price, Past Matron of Circleville Chapter; Miss Errel Stitt, Worthy Matron of the Bloomingburg Chapter; Miss Jesse Leavell, of Bloomingburg.

FOUR GAMES BOOKED BY THE ATHLETICS

The baseball season in Washington C. H., will open officially, Sunday, April 9, it is announced, with a game at Athletic Park, between the Athletics and the Standards, of Springfield. The Standards are said to be an exceptionally strong aggregation and will pitch Bennett, formerly of the Ohio State Leaguers, against the locals.

The Sunday following, the Athletics will meet the Cincinnati Irbolds, the Cincinnati Urichos a week later, and have scheduled a game with a Cincinnati team managed by L. B. Harrison for the Sunday after. This latter team is said to comprise for the most part of the old Cincinnati Muldoons. All of these games will be played on the local grounds.

The Athletic Club announces that, weather conditions favorable, there will be a game next Sunday between the Athletics and a team composed of players from other local organizations.

Another promising acquisition has been made to the Athletic pitching staff in the person of young "Sandy" Kneisley, of Bainbridge, who pitched two games for the locals at the close of last season.

LAYING LEAD PIPE FOR NEW PAVING

For several days the work of laying lead pipes on Paint street has been under way, the work being necessary to supplant the rusted water pipes which would soon become so defective that the new paving would be torn up to replace them.

By installing lead pipe, as required by ordinance, no tearing up of the paving will be necessary.

FREIGHT DERAILED

A C. H. & D. east bound freight was derailed at Caldwell's crossing west of Chillicothe, Monday morning, making it necessary to detour C. H. & D. trains over the B. & O. between Musselman and Chillicothe until the derailment was abolished.

In Social Circles

The Elks and their ladies are anticipating an evening of more than ordinary pleasure in the Informal Dollar Dance and social to be given by the social session committee, Don H. C. Bowen, Wm. M. Campbell, S. A. Leary, Friday night.

The special feature of the evening will be the introduction to the ladies of the new member, "Bill, the Elk."

Smith's Saxophone Trio, of Columbus, has been engaged and all those in touch with this music know what splendid music is assured them—music that makes dancing a positive delight.

Cards will entertain for those who do not enjoy dancing, and a buffet lunch will be served.

WANTS INFORMATION

Mayor C. W. Breech, of Cleburne, Texas, has written to Mayor Oster asking for information relative to a municipal lighting plant, with a view to erecting a municipal plant in Cleburne.

LAI TO REST

James Oren, aged 77 years, father of Conductor Oren, on the D. T. & I. was buried in the Fairview cemetery at Jeffersonville, Sunday, having passed away Friday.

HA! HA! HA! HA!

That Box Supper will be a funny one. You just come and be convinced. Your girl will be there looking for you, on Wednesday evening, March 29th, at 7 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church basement. 74 t1

MASQUERADE.

Ladie Maccabees at Red Men's hall Tuesday, March 28th. Admission 10c. Everybody invited. 71 t4

COMMITTEE.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—A straight bred Margee male hog, 2 years old. Good breeder. M. L. McCoy 74 6t

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, in good condition. Mrs. J. D. Weagly, 329 Forest St., between Paint and Temple. 74 tf

FOR SALE — Barred Plymouth Rock, Ringlet strain, eggs for hatching; 50c for fifteen. Mrs. W. E. Sever, Washington C. H., O., Route 2, Bell phone 111-R2. 74 126

FOR RENT—3 room house with large garden. Fayette Renting Agency, Rooms 6 and 7, Pavey Building. 74 tf

"THE SINS OF SOCIETY"

Robert Warwick is the Star in the Great Brady Photoplay.

Robert Warwick is presented by the World Film Corporation in a picturization of the remarkable stage success, "The Sins of Society." This is a drama which takes its theme from the deadly vice of gambling. Two little children are shown in the early part of the picture who are suffering from the inheritance of gambling.

This drama is full of exciting situations and incidents; indeed, it is probably the most thrilling melodrama of World Film's recent offerings. Robert Warwick heads a splendid cast. He is throughout his own fine, manly, vigorous, handsome self, and is sure again to please his millions of admirers amongst movie fans.

"The Sins of Society" will be presented at the Empire Theater on Wednesday, March 29, Matinee 2:30. Admission 10c. Advt.

Boost Washington—Buy at home.

EMPIRE THEATRE

STARTING SATURDAY,

April 1st,

and running every Saturday.

Matinee 2:00.

First Night Show 7:00.

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WHO WAS THE MURDERER?

MARY PAGE, young, beautiful, is accused of the crime.

James Pollock, drunkard, man-about-town, pursuer of Mary Page, is dead. Mary's revolver lies beside him.

Did Mary Page kill James Pollock?

Look for the Answer in Our New Photo Play Serial

The Strange Case of MARY PAGE

This story has been written by the editor of McClure's Magazine, under the non de plume of Frederick Lewis, in collaboration with Mr. John T. M'Intyre, who is best known for his Ashton Kirk Detective Stories.

Read the Story See The Ladies World. ADMISSION 10c

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TONIGHT

BUCK SIMMONS, PUNCHER

A TWO-REEL WESTERN DRAMA.

The Whole Jungle was after him. A Wild Animal Comedy.

ADMISSION 5c.

TOMORROW

Blanche Sweet in her greatest achievement of her remarkable career, "THE CASE OF BECKY."

Thursday World Film Corporation presents "HER GREATER HOUR," featuring Molly McIntyre.

Friday's Paramount, "PEER GYNT," featuring Cyril Maude. Matinee Each Day at 2:30.

THE OLD RELIABLE

STILL IN THE LEAD

Finest potatoes in town, 35c per peck, \$1.30 per bushel. 3 pounds finest hand picked soup beans for 25c. Pinto beans, 7c, 4 pounds for 25c; fancy lima beans 8c, 3 1/2 lbs. for 25c. Circleville lettuce, very fine, 15c per pound. Nice green kale, 7c, 4 pounds for 25c. Rome Beauty apples, 30c per peck. 6 these prices good 'till further notice. Fancy celery, solid cabbage, sound onions, parsnips, fancy oranges, grape fruit, lemons, bananas. Get a bottle of Duffee's Cough Syrup; finest on earth for all coughs, colds and the grippe. Contains no opiates or poisons; pleasant to take. Big 6-oz. bottle for 25c.

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The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.

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SCIOTO NEARS DANGER MARKS

Reaches Twenty Foot Stage
at Columbus.

LEVEES HOLDING SWELL

Schools and Factories Are Closed In the Threatened Zone, While Hundreds of Families Seek Safety In Other Parts of the City—Lowlands Inundated at a Number of Northern Ohio Points.

Columbus, March 28.—With the Scioto river within a couple of feet of the danger mark, a possible break in the levees is the only source of apprehension in this city. The police department and workmen are on guard to prevent this.

The river reached the 20 foot stage. Twenty-two is the danger line.

Hundreds of families deserted their homes on the West Side, and in many instances the fathers remained in the houses during the night to guard against looting. Practically every family in the so-called flood zone took the precaution to move furniture to upper floors. Business houses also safeguarded their stocks in this way.

Relief stations have been opened at convenient points.

West Side schools and factories were closed. Thousands of West Siders starting early in the morning for their offices or shops in other sections of the city stopped when they saw the river's rise. They returned to their homes to take their wives and children to places of safety or to transfer the living quarters to upper floors. Streetcar service was halted at Scioto bridges and passengers were forced to walk across. Persons who could not explain the necessity of their presence on the West Side were discouraged from going into that section.

Extra patrolmen were assigned to duty in the threatened district to prevent looting of the hundreds of houses which were abandoned by their occupants. Reports that petty thefts were committed at various places were received at headquarters.

A slight break occurred in the west levee north of State street. Workmen got busy at once with bags of sand. A close guard is being kept over the place.

The railroads are removing all cars from the West Side yards.

The authorities have hundreds of boats in readiness against a possible sudden need.

TRAINS ARE HALTED

(By American Press)

Findlay, O., March 28.—A total rainfall of 1.47 inches for twenty-four hours brought the Blanchard river and its tributaries to a state almost equal to the height of the flood of Jan.

LIEUT. W. FINCH



One of the subalterns in the punitive expedition into Mexico.

WILL RAID AND MURDER NO MORE



United States cavalry viewing the dead body of a Villa bandit killed in the flight from Columbus.

2. The Toledo and Ohio Central railroad is a heavy loser between Findlay and Kenton. The tracks are under water and it can not be determined whether or not they are washed out. Trains are being detoured.

SCIOTO MARSH

(By American Press)

Kenton, O., March 28.—Only tops of fence posts can be seen in the Scioto marsh districts, where farm houses are surrounded by water. No lives have been lost. Workmen built the levees near the waterworks engine room higher and kept the flood from putting out the fire, as it did in 1913. In Kenton the police moved twenty families to places of safety. While men waited in boats one mother gave birth to a baby boy with the water rapidly rising in the one-story cottage. Mother and babe may die as a result of the exposure.

FLOOD FREAKS

(By American Press)

Upper Sandusky, O., March 28.—With Timocree creek and Broken Sword on a rampage and the Sandusky river rising rapidly and flooding lowlands for miles, Wyandot county is threatened with a repetition of 1913 flood. The Sandusky river is a mile wide near this city. The roads and bridges just recently repaired are threatened.

At Flood Stage.

Fremont, O., March 28.—The Sandusky river is above the 10 foot stage, with prospects of going to 12 or better. Some sections of the lowlands of the city are inundated. Many persons are ready and will be compelled to vacate if the water goes much higher.

At Zanesville.

Zanesville, O., March 28.—The Muskingum river has reached a 22 foot stage, 3 feet below the danger mark. Heavy rains here and along the upper Muskingum caused considerable apprehension.

WISE CONCLUSION

(By American Press)

Washington, March 28.—Republican senators met in adjourned session of their party conference, coming over from Saturday, and authorized Senator Gallinger to make a statement of their position. The Republicans disclaimed any intention to embarrass the president, but declared that his policy of military defense on the border was inadequate. They urged the sending of all available regular troops that can be spared, to be supplemented with volunteers if necessary.

3 VESSELS SUNK

(By American Press)

London, March 28.—The French steamer Hebe, the British steamer Cerne and the British fish carrier Khartoum have been sunk. All aboard the Cerne are known to have been saved, and it is believed the Hebe's crew was rescued. Nine of the Khartoum's crew are missing and probably drowned.

Boost Washington; Buy at Home

WILY VILLA GIVES SLIP TO BONDS

Did Not Break Through
American Lines.

STATEMENT OF FUNSTON

Believed on the Border That the Chase For Villa Will Be a Long One, as the Outlaw Is at Home in the Mountain Country—American Troops Suffering From the Extreme Cold.

San Antonio, Tex., March 28.—General Villa having slipped through the hands of the Mexican troops at Namiquipa, the chase will be a long one, in the opinion of army men. The "Fox of the Sierras," as the outlaw has been called, has all the advantages ascribed to the needle in the haystack. He will be caught, but American troops may have to remain in Mexico until summer searching the crags and canyons of the Sierra Madres.

General Funston announced that Villa did not break through the lines of the American forces, but slipped by the Carranzistas. He wants this fact to be made as plain as possible.

There is reason to believe that the Carranza troops are not only failing to co-operate actively with the American troops, but are actually aiding Villa to escape.

"The road between the border and Casas Grandes has become well nigh impassable," General Funston declared. "Torn up by hundreds of trucks, motorcycles and horses, the sand has become so deep as to make this means of transportation too slow to be of much value."

General Funston reported members of the expeditionary force suffering from cold. "Clad lightly for desert heat," he said, "our troops are now actually suffering from the extreme cold of the mountain country."

Many scouts and secret service men are being employed by General Funston. They will be paid out of a fund of \$20,000 appropriated by the war department.

230 Miles South of Border.

Returning to Casas Grandes, General Pershing announced that he had established an advanced base at El Valle, 120 miles south of the present field base. Casas Grandes, being 110 miles from the border, the American troops are now 230 miles in the interior of Mexico, with the distance daily increasing.

General Funston has received no word of sniping by Mexicans, as reported from El Paso. He says General Pershing would report to him if it were true. Long messages have

been received from General Pershing, but little is made public, except the fact that Villa has escaped and that three American columns are seeking to locate him.

Three detachments are within forty miles of the neighborhood where the bandit was last reported. They are Major Evans' men, proceeding along a trail south from San Jose; Major Lindley's troops at Chico, on the Mexico Northwestern, and 500 soldiers under Colonel Brown on their way from Babicora to Namiquipa. Colonel Dodd is in command of these columns, which have had to be thinned on account of the necessity of guarding the communications. General Pershing has sent out supporting columns of minor strength.

Lieutenant Bowen, the aviator injured in a fall at Casas Grandes, arrived at San Antonio and was taken to the Fort Sam Houston hospital.

ILLINOIS, TOO

Chicago, March 28.—Five deaths and seven injuries in Chicago and nearby towns of northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin, and a property damage estimated at \$500,000, made up the toll of the floods which followed a heavy rain and windstorm. Charles Owen and William Orr, farmers near South Wayne, Wis.; Lester Kelley of Mineral Point, and William H. Orr, St. Paul railroad agent at Winslow, Ill., were drowned. Josiah E. Symons, architect of Chicago and Winnetka, was killed when his auto collided with another during the storm.

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GERMAN TRENCHES STORMED

Infantry Attacks Follow Explosion of a Big Mine.

London, March 28.—The British and Germans have been fighting fiercely in the region of St. Eloi, five miles northwest of Arras, and the British, through the explosion of a big mine and by infantry charges have captured or destroyed a considerable portion of the German trenches.

The British infantry stormed and took first and second-line trenches along a front of 600 yards, London officially announces, and Berlin admits that German trenches in this region were blown up to an extent of 100 yards and that "casualties were caused among the company occupying the position."

Again the bombardment has become intense to the northwest and northeast of Verdun and considerable activity by the big guns also has been shown in the Woevre region, southeast of the fortress. The time seemingly is not ripe, however, for an infantry attack and the men of both sides have lain idle in their trenches, awaiting the moment for attack and counter attack.

MICHIGAN FLOODS

(By American Press)

Detroit, March 28.—Saginaw, Genesee and Bay counties, pelted by rain for nearly forty-eight hours, are flood centers in storm-swept Michigan. Nearly every stream in these counties is either out of its banks or at flood stage. No estimate of total damage to property, stock and merchandise can be made at present. The loss, however, may be more than \$1,000,000.

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By FRANK H. SPEARMAN

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SYNOPSIS.

Little Helen Holmes, daughter of General Holmes, railroad man, is reared from infancy on a scenic railroad. Young womanhood, Helen saves Storm, now a fireman, her father, and his friends. Amos Rhinelander, financier, and Robert Seagrue, promoter, from a threatened coal strike. Seagrue's survey plans of the cut-off line for the Tidewater, fatally wound the general and escape. Her father goes to work on the Tidewater. Helen recovers the survey plans from Seagrue, and though they are taken from her, finds an accidentally made proof of the survey blueprint. Storm is employed by Rhinelander. Spike and his confederate firebreakers steal Rhinelander's pay roll money. Helen pursues and, with a policeman's aid, captures two of them and recovers the money. Spike, befriended by Helen, in turn saves her and the right-of-way contracts when Seagrue kidnaps her.

(Continued from Yesterday's Herald)

Spike looked gloomily down at the ticket he held in his hand. He realized he was utterly helpless. "All right," he said gruffly.

Seagrue shook hands with the sheriff as he followed Spike across the platform. "I don't think I'll have any more trouble with him," he said in an undertone. "Thank you just the same, sheriff."

With the rival construction crews, matters were reaching a somewhat critical stage in their race. Both the Colorado & Coast and the Copper Range & Tidewater companies had reached the limits of the city of Las Vegas, where, owing to the topography of the country as well as to the difficulties of getting through the town, possible rights of way were exceedingly scarce. A section almost immediately in front now of both construction gangs was occupied by a



Helen Understood the Necessity for Prompt Action.

weather-beaten pioneer who bore the name of Cassidy, and his comfortable cottage obstructed both surveys.

The advent of two railroads building neck and neck across the desert through the little town had naturally stirred every inhabitant of it to a high pitch of excitement. Small wonder that Cassidy's head had become in some degree confused as to values, and by the time Rhinelander got around to see the bronzed pioneer

WHY not give your lad the same training?

"When I was a growing lad, and came upon many words in my reading that I did not understand, my mother, instead of giving me the definition when I applied to her, uniformly sent me to the dictionary to learn it, and in this way I gradually learned many things besides the meaning of the individual word in question—among other things, how to use a dictionary, and the great pleasure and advantage there might be in the use of the dictionary. Afterwards, when I went to the village school, my chief diversion, after lessons were learned and before they were recited, was in turning over the pages of the 'Unabridged' of those days. Now the most modern Unabridged—the NEW INTERNATIONAL—gives me a pleasure of the same sort. So far as my knowledge extends, it is at present the best of the one-volume dictionaries, and quite sufficient for all ordinary uses. Even those who possess the splendid dictionaries in several volumes will yet find it a great convenience to have this, which is so compact, so full, and so trustworthy as to leave, in most cases, little to be desired."—Albert S. Cook, Ph.D., LL.D., Professor of the English Language and Literature, Yale Univ. April 28, 1911.

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with a check for two thousand dollars—the price first put upon the property by its veteran owner—valuations had risen and Cassidy declared that he would sell for ten thousand dollars and not a cent less.

Rhineland, considerably taken aback, impatiently assented to the exorbitant sum named, and going inside the cottage, wrote out his check for it. In exchange he received Cassidy's rather uncertain signature, on the customary legal form, granting to the Copper Range & Tide Water Railway company privileges over the Cassidy land as a freehold owner.

Seagrue, arriving from town, learned from his foreman of the status of the insignificant plot of ground, adverse possession of which might frustrate their persistent plans for obstructing Rhinelander. With his surveyors Seagrue hurried to the end of the work and reached the ground just in time to encounter Rhinelander coming out of Cassidy's house and the agreement duly signed and delivered in his hand. And behind Rhinelander came George Storm ready to bring the men up to take possession of the Cassidy demesne.

Seagrue and his followers halted them and Rhinelander, feeling the victory all his own, explained the situation to Seagrue, while Storm, amiably, but firmly, ordered Seagrue's men to get off the Copper Range property.

Seagrue, without saying anything to controvert what he had heard, walked straight into Cassidy's house. "I'm sorry to be a little late, Cassidy," he began, bluntly. "You know we want your property. And we're prepared to pay you a reasonable price for it—not an extravagant price," declared Seagrue, impressively, "nothing of that kind, but—" he asked, buttonholing the old man with friendly emphasis, "just what is right and fair. I don't know what you consider your property worth," he continued, talking so fast the old man could not get a word in edgewise, "but I have written out a check here for fifteen thousand dollars. And if you will give me your signature to this right of way contract the check, old boy, is yours."

(To be continued)

SEE PICTURES AT THE PALACE.

OUTRAGE IS PERPETRATED

(By American Press)

New York, March 28.—Guests at a dinner party in an uptown apartment, Luis F. Corea, a lawyer; Rufino Lavin, a wealthy cotton merchant of Torreon, Mexico, and Modesta Alvarez, a merchant of Yucatan, were suddenly attacked by three well-dressed strangers, all armed, bound with ropes, partially stripped and robbed of more than \$3,000 in cash and jewelry. Detectives arrested Mariano Ramos, twenty-three, a Mexican and translator, and Russel Mark, twenty-one, a clerk, and the men were locked up, accused of acting in concert with the three robbers in committing the crime. Ramos was host at the dinner and the police believe that the apartment was rented and furnished with the express idea of robbing Corea and his friends.

EASY NOW!

(By American Press)

El Paso, Tex., March 28.—Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., in charge of the El Paso supply base for the American army in Mexico, received reports which he said had not been officially confirmed that General Carranza had refused the United States the use of the Mexico Northwestern and Mexican Central railroads for supply shipments. He said it would be possible to supply the troops by means of the motor transports now being installed, but that the cost would be very great and the difficulties greatly increased in times of heavy rainfall. Nothing was known at the consulate here regarding a decision in the railroad matter.

NEW DAILY LAUNCHED

(By American Press)

Indianapolis, March 28.—The Indiana Publishing Company, increased its capital stock from \$10,000 to \$2,500,000. It is understood that the corporation will publish a big Democratic daily. Among the directors given are United States Senators John W. Kern and Thomas Taggart.

You can get it in Washington.



Photo by American Press Association.

Venustiano Carranza, head of the recognized government of Mexico; General Trevino (on left), who is leading the Mexican troops against Villa, and Carranza's secretary, Miroles (on the right).

GERMANS CAPTURE RUSSIAN POSITIONS

HATES CHICKENS AND COWS TOO

Woman's Story Will Hold Interest for Thousands of People Everywhere.

"I hate the cows and chickens," said Mrs. Ettie Edwards, of 310 Mill street, Lockland, O., in paraphrase of a popular song of the cabarets.

"I have lived on eggs and milk for so long that I just can't look at a hen or a cow with friendly eyes," she explained laughingly.

"When one's diet is restricted to the products of our friends of the barnyard for weeks and then months it is like suddenly stepping into a little paradise of content to find all of the good things of former days back on your own bill of fare."

Mrs. Edwards' story will hold interest for thousands of men and women who would welcome, as she did freedom from a diet.

"I have long been a sufferer from stomach trouble," she explained. "I paid in pain for every meal I ate. There was the daily headache that appeared soon after breakfast, and stayed for lunch and supper. My sleep, after the hours of suffering, was broken and gave me no real rest. I had no energy, was tired all the time, and life was just long days of discontent.

"In the hope of improving I began the diet of boiled milk and boiled eggs. And I was faithful. For weeks I kept this diet and I did improve some under it, but I was not being cured, I realized.

"Now my stomach is a great deal better. I can eat almost anything without ill effects. I am too thankful to depart from plainly cooked food yet, however. But my appetite is good, my sleep is sound and refreshing, and my housework is no longer an irritating, difficult task.

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Two Thousand Prisoners Taken By Von Hindenberg.

London, March 28.—The first important counter attack by Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's troops since the new Russian offensive set in was reported by the German war office. It was launched south of Lake Narotch, where the czar's troops have been trying stubbornly of late to break through the German lines and open the way to Vilna.

In this region, Berlin says, portions of three Russian army corps made three strong but unsuccessful attacks and the repulse of the third was followed by a counter offensive on the part of the West Prussian regiments, which resulted in the recapture of an observation post near Kokrzyce, just west of the southern edge of Lake Narotch. Twenty-one officers and more than 2,000 men were captured by the Germans.

The Russians renewed during the last twenty-four hours their onslaughts against Von Hindenburg's lines in the north, notably northwest of Jacobstadt, in the Riga-Dvinsk sector. These attacks were repulsed.

Known by Their Fruits.

A small boy was discussing the differences in members of the vegetable world.

"How did people first know an apple tree from a pear tree?" he asked "By the bark?"

"No," replied his mother gravely, "by the bite."—Stray Stories.

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West. A BEVERAGE mixed by Puccini. Would seem a delectable drink. But, take it from Big Toscanini. It's not such a joy as you'd think. The spirit is all imitation. There's not a real thrill in the bunch. It's big, but it lacks inspiration. A punch bowl without any punch.

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FOR RENT — Rooms over S. S. Cockerill & Son's grocery, recently occupied by the Mayor and the city council. Parties interested see Gilbert Adams, at Commercial Bank. 66 16

FOR RENT — Half of double house, East Temple street. Five rooms, gas, hard and soft water; sink. Chas. U. Armstrong. 57 16

FOR RENT — Five room house; basement, hard and soft water in house; electric lights, gas; \$10.50; Inquire Bentz & Thoroman grocery, Paint and Delaware streets. 44 16

FOR RENT — March 1st, a six-room cottage, with barn; East Temple street; one square from public school. F. M. Kennedy. 44 16

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FOR SALE — A No. 1 draft gelding, 5 years old. John Ging, Bell phone. 73 16

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Markets

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LIVE STOCK MARKET.
Chicago, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 15000—Market weak — Bulk \$9.80@9.95; light \$9.50@10.05; mixed \$9.55@10.00; heavy \$9.55@9.85; rough \$9.55@9.70; pigs \$7.50@8.65.

Cattle — Receipts 4000—Market steady — Native beef steers \$7.75@10.00; cows and heifers \$4.25@9.00 calves \$8.00@10.50.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts 10,000—Market steady—Wethers \$8.60@9.35; lambs \$9.85@11.90.

Pittsburg, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 2000—Market higher—Heavies and heavy yorkers \$10.25@10.30 light yorkers \$9.25@9.60; pigs \$8.50@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6000—Market steady—Top sheep \$9.25; top lambs \$11.75.

Calves — Receipts 100 — Market steady—Top \$10.50.

East Buffalo, March 28.—Cattle—Receipts 350—Market active and steady.

Veal — Receipts 650 — Market slow—Quotation \$4.00@10.00.

Hogs — Receipts 5000—Market active—Heavies and mixed \$10.25@10.30; yorkers \$9.50@10.25; pigs \$9.00@9.25; roughs \$9.25@9.35; stags \$6.50@7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000—Market active — Lambs \$8.00@12.00; yearlings \$8.50@10.75; Wethers \$9.00@9.50; ewes \$4.00@8.75; sheep, mixed \$8.75@9.00.

Cleveland, March 28. — Cattle—Receipts 150 — Market slow.

Calves — Receipts 100—Market slow—Good to choice veal calves \$9.50@10.00.

Sheep — Receipts 1000—Market steady.

Hogs — Receipts 1500—Market 5 cents lower—Yorkers, heavies, lights, medium \$10.00; pigs \$8.75; roughs \$9.00; stags \$7.50.

GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 28. — Wheat—May \$1.13 1/4; July \$1.10 1/4.

Corn—May 73 1/4; July 75 1/4.

Oats—May 43 1/4; July 42 1/4.

Pork—May \$23.12; July \$22.95.

Lard—May \$11.57; July \$11.82.

CLOVER SEED.

Toledo, Ohio, March 28. — Prime, cash \$11.25; March \$11.15; April \$9.60; October \$8.55.

THE LOCAL MARKET

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ROYAL CADET IS SOLD BY VALLERY FOR FANCY PRICE

The prominence of Fayette county as the birthplace of famous harness horses is considerably enhanced with the report that Oscar Vallery, formerly of this county, but now the owner of Sylvan Park Stock Farm of Derby, has sold to Sol B. Wolf, of New York city, the noted trotter, Royal Cadet 2:12 1/4, for a consideration of \$1,500. The sale was consummated Thursday and hereafter Royal Cadet will be seen in select trotting society in the vicinity of New York.

As Royal Cadet is one of the best, if not the best known trotter that has been campaigned over Ohio tracks for the past three seasons, a few words about the horse and his history will not be out of place at this time. Royal Cadet is a nine-year-old bay gelding by Vice Commodore 2:11, and out of the famous broodmare Dover Girl (dam of March Gale 2:11 1/4, Dover Maid 2:12 1/4 etc.), by Dover Boy. This is, indeed, royal breeding for a trotter. Royal Cadet was bred by Val R. McCoy of this city and sold to Mr. Vallery in one of the sales at the local pavilion for \$400.

Mr. McCoy gave the trotter his early training and worked him in 2:22 over the local track. After the purchase Royal Cadet was more inclined to pace than trot and his training the first season in the hands of Vallery was a failure. However, Mr. Vallery did not lose confidence

in the young horse and the second year his training was very successful. In the fall of this year Royal Cadet participated in twelve races, winning eight firsts. He accomplished the record-breaking performance of winning seven races in seventeen days. His campaign the next season was very successful, the trotter taking part in ten races, winning five firsts. Last year he took part in thirteen races, winning six firsts, and retiring the season with a record of 2:12 1/4, made at London, Ohio.

During the three years Royal Cadet has been campaigned by Mr. Vallery he started in thirty-nine races, winning nineteen firsts and only on two occasions did he fail to win a portion of the purse money. His total winning for the three years is more than \$4,300 and Mr. Vallery figures that Royal Cadet has netted him a clear profit of over \$4,000.

Mr. Wolf, the purchaser, is a millionaire amateur and a leading spirit of the New York Road Drivers' Club. The sale was made in the presence of several people and Mr. Wolf gave Mr. Vallery a one thousand dollar bill and one five hundred dollar bill for the trotter. Royal Cadet was shipped by express Friday morning to Terre Haute, Ind., where the trotters and pacers owned by Mr. Wolf are quartered in the stable of his trainer, Bert Tippet.

FLOOD WARNINGS TO CHILLICOTHE

By Associated Press.

Columbus, O., March 28.—Flood warnings were sent to Circleville and Chillicothe today by the United States Weather Bureau here.

It was said the crest of the Scioto River high waters would reach Chillicothe sometime tonight, but the weather man considered it improbable that the flood stage of 20 feet at Chillicothe would be passed.

BALTIMORE BLAZE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Baltimore, Md., March 28. — Fire which endangered a whole block of big business houses, broke out on the third floor of a wholesale hardware establishment on West German street this afternoon.

Half of the fire department of the city was called out to combat the flames.

EXPECT WAITE TO TALK

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, March 28.—The District Attorney expects to obtain a confession this afternoon from Dr. Arthur W. Waite, accused of murdering his father-in-law, John E. Peck, millionaire druggist of Grand Rapids.

Frank Waite, brother of the accused man, declared that the young dentist expects to make a clean breast of everything.

INDICTMENTS ARE QUASHED

Judge Anderson Grants Motion of Indicted Steel Companies at Youngstown.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Youngstown, O., March 28.—Judge W. S. Anderson today granted the motion to quash the indictments recently returned here against five steel companies charging them with conspiring to fix the price of labor and steel products.

The indictments against the United States Steel Corporation and E. H. Gary, head of the corporation, still stand, as the motion to quash did not include these two defendants on whom service has not been secured.

The steel company attorneys attacked the indictments as being too indefinite and uncertain, depriving the defendants of their constitutional rights.

GENERAL ROBERT EVANS

Commands Second Brigade, U. S. A., at Laredo, Tex.

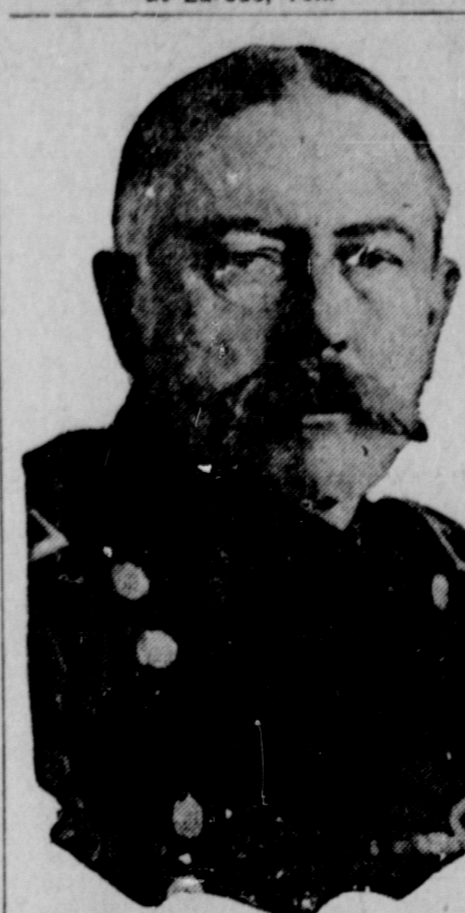


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FLOOD PANIC IS GIVING WAY AT COLUMBUS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., March 28. — With the Scioto River flood waters gradually receding, and with the levees still holding, all danger of a flood here was considered passed today.

Thousands of citizens from the West Side, where nearly 100 persons lost their lives in the 1913 flood, today were returning to their homes.

They fled yesterday with their families and household goods when the river reached the danger mark.

The river gauge this morning stood between 17 and 18 feet, as compared with nearly 20 feet last night.

As there have been no heavy rains in the upper Scioto Valley, the Weather Bureau announced that all danger had passed.

Swoolen streams and flooded lowlands were reported from many sections of the state today, but no serious damage or loss of life.

WOW!

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cleveland, O., March 28. — The will of Lewis D. Boynton, wealthy lawyer, which was offered for probate at Elyria today, contains the following statement:

"I particularly warn against attorneys-at-law and sincerely trust it may not be necessary to employ them in the adjustment of my estate.

"My experience has taught me that they are all dangerous crooks, expressly educated to obtain one's confidence in order that they may rob with impunity."

INVESTIGATING TRAGEDY RUMOR

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Newark, O., March 28.—Police are investigating a report that a woman lost her life when a bridge collapsed this morning in the flood waters.

NAVY NEEDS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 28.—Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt testifying today before the House Naval Committee, said that a quarter of a million men would be needed in the United States Navy in times of war.

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Spinach—"Bloomsdale."
Peas—Telephone Fall, Premium Gem Dwarf.
Beans—Red Valentine, Kentucky Wonder, Lazy Wife,
Red Kidney.
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Corn—Adam's Early, Golden Bantam, Kendal's Giant,
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WHERE DRUGGISTS FLOURISH.

How the Business is Run in the South American Republics.

Latin Americans are great believers in medicines and, due to the scarcity of physicians, are obliged to "doctor" themselves. Pharmacy is consequently profitable. With the exception of modern Europe, Canada and the United States pharmacy is practiced in other lands of the world much as it was in the United States seventy-five or a hundred years ago, and this is particularly true of the republics to the south of us.

The individual druggist makes his own pills, extracts, tinctures, infusions and pulverizes his own crude drugs. Soda water fountains are few. The usual rubber goods, toilet articles, soaps, perfumes, instruments and sundries are carried.

Each druggist makes a line of his own specialties which he pushes. In addition to the standard drugs and medicines, he also carries remedies and medicaments known only in his immediate vicinity. They are mostly of Indian origin, compounded from roots, herbs or other ingredients, produced only in the country where he lives. These find a ready sale among all classes.

Superstitious ideas are prevalent, and these are frequently taken advantage of by the most rapacious. One pharmacist made a fortune selling Indians, half castes, and whites, for that matter, too, "pink love powders" and "white love powders." The white love powder was pulverized sugar, while the pink love powder was made of the same material colored. Indians would walk hundreds of miles to buy this precious powder.—Leslie's Weekly

A broad margin of leisure is as beautiful in a man's life as in a book. Haste makes waste no less in life than in housekeeping. Keep the time, observe the hours of the universe, not of the cars. What are three score years and ten hurriedly and coarsely lived to moments of divine leisure in which your life is coincident with the life of the universe? We live too fast and coarsely, just as we eat too fast and do not know the true savor of our food. We consult our will and understanding and the expectation of men, not our genius.—Thoreau.

Inducements to Matrimony.
There prevails in some parts of Brittany a curious marriage custom. On certain fete days the marriageable girls appear in red petticoats, with white or yellow borders around them. The number of borders denotes the portion the father is willing to give his daughter. Each white band denotes 100 francs per annum; each yellow band represents 1,000 francs a year.

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Chief of the marauding bandits seen in a characteristic pose.

INCIDENTS IN FLOOD-GRIPPED SECTIONS

PEN PRISONERS NERVOUS. Columbus, March 28.—Prisoners at the penitentiary became nervous at 4 p. m. yesterday when back-flooding the basements of the prison buildings.

HAULING AWAY CARS. Columbus, March 28.—After officials of the Toledo & Ohio Central had made a careful investigation, running all the way from South Columbus to the Sandusky Street bridge, orders were issued at 1 p. m. to move all of the cars, empty as well as loaded, to the high grounds northwest of the city. Here the railroad has long sidings, and soon these miles of track were filled with cars.

WOMAN MOVES GOLDFISH. Columbus, March 28.—A West Side matron yesterday was carrying her goldfish aquarium to a moving van.

DANGER REMOTE AT DAYTON. Dayton, O., March 28.—While it is probable that the Great Miami will reach a stage in excess of 13 feet, according to Weather Forecaster Young's prediction yesterday, it is not believed the river will reach the 14.7 feet stage recorded late in January when conditions were threatening. At 7 o'clock yesterday the river stood at 8.7 feet and from that time it has risen more steadily but more slowly.

LOWLANDS ARE FLOODED. Upper Sandusky, O., March 28.—With Timocree Creek and Broken-sword on a rampage, and Sandusky River rising rapidly and flooding lowlands for miles, Wyandot county is threatened with a repetition of the 1913 flood. The Sandusky River is a mile wide near this city, with a rushing torrent marking the channel. Serious damage to many newly constructed roads and bridges is threatened.

FLOOD CLOSES MILL. Youngstown, O., March 28.—The steady rise of the Mahoning river here caused the stream to overflow its banks at many points and caused alarm and inconvenience. One of the mills of the Republic Iron and Steel company was forced to close on account of water backing into gas tunnels. The river is 9 feet above normal, but it is believed that the crest of the flood has passed.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio: Rains Tonight, Slightly Colder East Portion; Wednesday Partly Cloudy.

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QUICK DRIVE FOR VILLA

General Pershing Is Now Arranging for a Quick Cavalry Drive in the Hope of Closing in on Villa Band.

Associated Press Dispatch. FIELD HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, COLONIA DUBLAN; BY WIRELESS COLUMBUS, N. M., MARCH 28.—GENERAL PERSHING WAS TODAY TO BE PREPARING TO CLOSE IN ON VILLA WITH A QUICK CAVALRY DRIVE.

Associated Press Dispatch. El Paso, Texas, March 28.—The report of Francisco Villa may be hampered, if not actually halted, unless Mexican railroads are made available as the mainline of communication for the American army in Mexico.

Associated Press Dispatch. Motor trucks are being rushed to the army base at Columbus, N. M., to help keep up the necessary movement of supplies to the field headquarters.

Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, March 28.—The War Department today prepared a memorandum to General Carranza, asking for an immediate reply to the request for permission to use American railroads in supplying troops in pursuit of Villa.

SENT BACK FOR SAFETY

By Associated Press Dispatch. Galveston, Texas, March 28.—American women and children at Tampico, Mexico, have been sent to the United States as a precautionary measure, according to information reaching here today.

APPROPRIATION BILL IS PASSED FOR ARMY COST

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, March 28.—The House today passed an emergency appropriation of \$8,611,502, to pay for the added strength of the army and the expenses of the punitive expedition into Mexico.

Representative London, Socialist, was the only member voting against the appropriation.

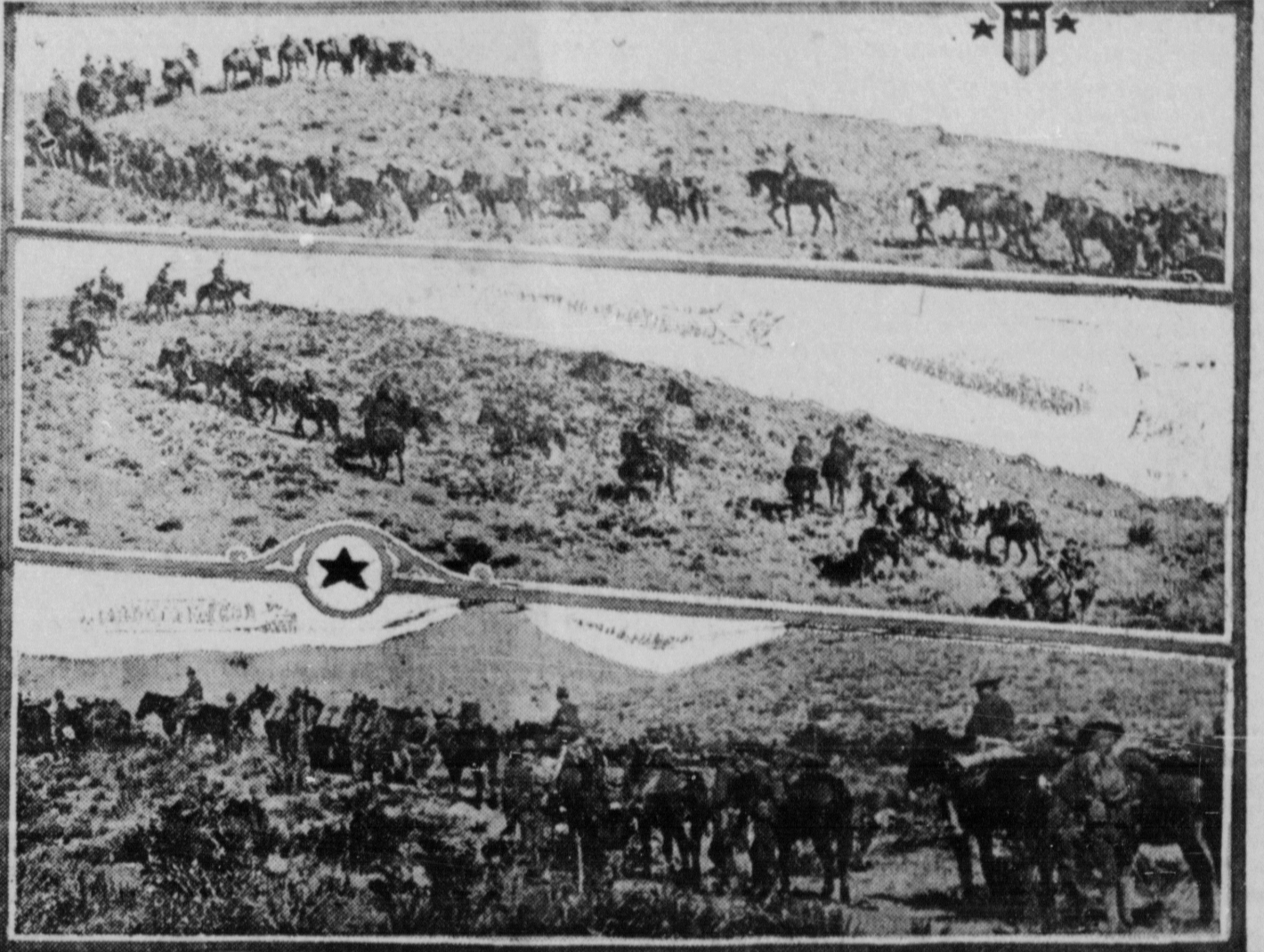
Debate was continued on the immigration bill, with prospect of a vote before night.

PUT OFF!

Washington, March 28.—By a vote of 10 to 9, the House Judiciary Committee today voted to postpone indefinitely consideration of all suffrage and prohibition proposals now before it.

Washington, March 28.—Serious flood conditions were reported to the Weather Bureau today throughout the Central States, particularly in southern Michigan, at Buffalo, N. Y., and in Central Pennsylvania.

TROOPS IN MEXICO CLIMBING A MOUNTAIN



Photos by Paramount Pictures Corporation. American soldiers necessarily make slow progress as they ascend mountains in chasing Villa. These photographs just received from Mexico show how roundabout they must travel to reach the top of a peak.

GERARD WILL ASK GERMANY

Ambassador Instructed to Inquire if Submarines Torpedoed Sussex.

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, March 28.—The United States has inquired of Germany, through Ambassador Gerard, whether any of its submarines torpedoed the British channel steamer Sussex.

Secretary Lansing announced after the Cabinet meeting today that it had been decided to make such an inquiry, and later it was learned that inquiry had been made, and in fact probably is already in Berlin.

The present status of the communication is that of an inquiry.

It has not advanced to the stage of a protest or a demand.

British steamer Manchester are reported to have made affidavits before an American consul that the vessel was torpedoed without warning.

FIGHTING REPORTED

(Associated Press Cable) Berlin, March 28.—Lively fighting has developed on the Franco-Belgian front south of St. Eloi, according to today's German official statement.

TWO PERSONS DIE IN FIRE

Police Believe Fire to Have Been of Incendiary Origin. Girl Confesses.

By Associated Press Dispatch. Cleveland, O., March 28.—Fire in an apartment house on Prospect avenue, which caused the death of two persons and the serious injury of several others here early this morning, is believed by the police to be of incendiary origin.

THREE DEAD TWENTY HURT

Mine Explosion in West Virginia, the Authorities Fear, Has Caught Miners in Cave In.

By Associated Press Dispatch. Bluefield, W. Va., March 28.—An explosion occurred this morning in the King Coal Company's mine at Kimball, near here.

Four dead have already been taken from the mine, and it is feared a number of others have been killed.

A hurried canvass of the town showed about 100 miners missing, and at the mine it was said they were probably trapped behind masses of coal and slate blown down by the explosion.

Hundreds of persons assembled at the mine, among them many skilled miners who aided in the rescue work.

Soon after the four dead had been located, rescuers found four other men, all badly burned.

VERDUN INACTIVE

Paris Reports German Trench Blown Up—Vienna Declares Russian Activity in Galicia Has Slackened.

British Airmen Make Successful Raid on Turkish Advanced Base—Sussex Disaster Not Expected to Exceed 50 Dead.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, March 28.—The infantry continues inactive before Verdun, and even the artillery fire in the Vaux-Douaumont region east of the Meuse has slackened.

The German guns have resumed a heavy fire west of the river, however, shelling the French lines south of Malancourt.

A surprise attack by the French in the Forest of Parroy is reported by Paris, a German trench being blown up, after which the attacking force withdrew with some prisoners.

Bitter fighting is again taking place along the Austro-Italian front. The Austrians launched an attack on Val Piccolo, taking a trench; but in counter attacks the Italian forces not only succeeded in reconquering the position, but took Austrian trenches elsewhere on the front, according to the Rome headquarters' report.

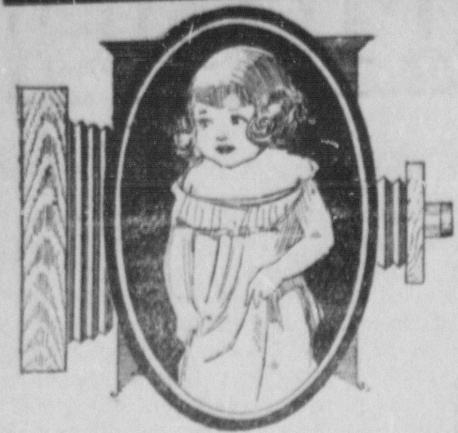
Vienna declares that the Russian activity in Galicia has slackened.

British airmen have made a successful raid on a Turkish advance base 100 miles east of the Suez Canal, the aviators dropping 40 bombs and doing extensive damage.

London figures on the damage done to shipping since Germany's new submarine campaign was begun, show that in less than a fortnight, beginning March 15, vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 7,000 have been sunk, one third of this tonnage belonging to neutrals.

Today the sinking of the British steamer Empress of Midland is reported. The crew was saved.

Casualties from the explosion which damaged the steamer Sussex are not expected to exceed fifty, the steamer's agents announce.



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TO TEST FLUSHER IN CHILLICOTHE

Thursday and Friday of this week a Studebaker power flusher will be demonstrated on the streets of Chillicothe, and a number of local citizens, including a couple of councilmen, are expected to witness the demonstration either Thursday or Friday, with a view to ascertaining the merits of the flusher.

It is expected that some report on the flusher will be made at the session of council next Monday night, as a large number of citizens believe the streets can be kept cleaner and more sanitary with a flusher than a sweeper, and that the expense is no greater.

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Three new steel coaches have been added to each train and the trains are now composed of mail car, baggage and smoker, two day coaches, combination cafe coach and Pullman.

OBJECT TO PREPAREDNESS

(By American Press)

Peekskill, N. Y., March 28.—The New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal church adopted a resolution opposing all preparedness for war and all warlike preparations except "what is needful to protect the weak and helpless." The conference expressed "regret and horror" over the holding of the Willard-Moran fight and protested unanimously by resolution against "the brutalizing effects of such exhibitions."

LINER SENT DOWN

(By American Press)

London, March 28.—The British steamship Manchester Engineer, which sailed from Philadelphia on March 11, for Manchester, is reported to have been sunk. The vessel was of 2,813 tons net. Captain Smith commanded the Manchester Engineer.

Berlin, March 28.—A French transport carrying troops away from Salonica struck a mine and sank with a large loss of life, according to Athens dispatches. Only seventy-three persons were rescued.

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MODERN WOODMAN CLASS ADOPTION.

The Modern Woodmen of America will hold a class adoption Thursday evening, March 30, at Red Men's Hall. Camp will open at 7 p. m. Degree work will commence at 7:30 p. m. Sabina's crack team will have charge of the initiation work.

State Lecturer McDonald will be the principal speaker. M. M. Redding, District Deputy Head Counsel of Columbus, will also speak, and other prominent Woodmen are expected to be present.

Modern Woodmen from all the surrounding camps are invited to attend. After the degree work refreshments will be served.

Fayette Camp 4242 has started a four months' campaign for new members, starting out with forty applications secured for March.

The Modern Woodmen of America is having phenomenal growth, having added 12,857 new members for the month of February, 1916, and over 80,000 for 1915.

Every Modern Woodman is urged to be present.

C. L. MILLER,
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NOTICE TO REBEKAHS AND ODD FELLOWS

The men of Imperial Rebekah Lodge will entertain all Rebekahs, Odd Fellows and their wives, on Wednesday evening, March 29, at the I. O. O. F. Temple. A good time and a square meal for a dime.

COMMITTEE.

RUMMAGE SALE.

The Welfare Association will hold a Rummage Sale sometime in April. Persons having clothing or house furnishings which they wish us to call for, please call Automatic 6621 or 7031.

SECRETARY.

MASQUERADE.

Ladie Maccabees at Red Men's hall Tuesday, March 28th. Admission 10c cents. Everybody invited.

COMMITTEE.

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DR. ANGELL ILL

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 28.—Sinking rapidly during the past twenty-four hours, physicians hold out but small hope for Dr. James B. Angell, president emeritus of the University of Michigan. Dr. Angell has been severely ill since his eighty-seventh birthday several weeks ago.

ARMY PLANS WRECKED

Washington, March 28.—Two of the army aeroplanes with the Pershing expedition in Mexico have been destroyed. Announcement to this effect was made at the war department by Secretary Baker. Department officers believe they must have fallen during a scouting flight.

THINGS DOING AT THE MOVIES

PALACE.

Beginning this week the Palace offers each Monday a chapter from "The Iron Claw," the popular Pethe serial of recent release starring Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis, of "Clutching Hand" fame. Next week the first chapter will be repeated, the second accompanying it, for the benefit of those who may not be able to get in at the start.

The Fox feature Tuesday is entitled "The Fool's Revenge," presenting two of Fox's new stars, William Tooker and Maude Gilbert. Carter Dehaven, popular vaudeville and stage artist seen lately in Ohio theaters on Keith time, is the star of the Bluebird feature play Wednesday, "The Wrong Door."

Robert Edson, famous stage celebrity of many successes, is the V. L. S. E. role star in "Mortmain" at the Palace Thursday. "Mortmain" is heralded as one of the greatest of V. L. S. E. triumphs, and is a Vitagraph adaptation from Arthur C. Train's great novel of that name. Muriel Ostriche and James Morrison are among Edson's supports.

Stella Rozeto and Guy Oliver are stars-opposite in another V. L. S. E. feature Friday, "The Circular Staircase," a powerful play taken from the book of that title.

Saturday—Helen Holmes in "The Girl and the Game."

EMPIRE.

Arnold Daly, noted screen actor who will be remembered locally as the co-star of Pearl White in the Craig Kennedy detective plays, is the lead in "An Affair of Three Nations," a Pathe feature at the Empire Tuesday.

Robert Warwick, another screen celebrity who is a particular favorite of local audiences, is the star of "Sins of Society," at the Empire, Wednesday. This picture is one of unusual attraction. It gets at the most spectacular of Gotham life and includes in its many startling situations the sinking of a troop ship by a submarine.

Thursday is comedy day at the Empire. Its features will include the Keith success "Napoleon the Great."

Friday brings Harold Lockwood and May Allison in "The End of the Road," a spectacular drama of the South which has scored a big hit in screendom.

Saturday, the Empire introduces the first chapter of the great serial "The Strange Case of Mary Page," now running in story form in the

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WONDERLAND.

Program not announced.

COLONIAL.

"Honor's Altar" is the eloquent title of the Monday-Tuesday Triangle feature at the Colonial, presenting Miss Bessie Barriscale, a prime favorite in Washington movie circles. As the wife of a poor man, who rises to wealth and seeks to fasten dishonor upon her as a means of ridding himself of her and satisfying his ambitions, Miss Barriscale is seen at her best.

Mack Swain furnishes amusement in plenty in "His Auto Ruination," Monday and Tuesday.

Douglas Fairbanks, who entered the path to stellar glory some months ago in the Triangle masterpiece "The Lamb," is the leading character in "His Picture in the Papers," supported by pretty Loretta Blake. The play is just as "different" as the name promises and recounts the many and odd experiences of a young man who aspired to have his picture in the papers.

"Better Late Than Never," is the title of the Triangle comic Thursday and Friday.

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"Why, they have killed a horse!" shouted a man behind us as he looked out.
"Yes, and it's my hoss!" added the farmer.
"But you said you were in luck?"
"You bet I am! I've been riding up and down this line for five years on a pass they gave me for killing an old cow which wasn't worth \$5. The pass expired yesterday, and now my old hoss, who ain't worth skinning, gits in the way and is knocked over. Luck! Why, gents, that means a free family pass for five years more, and there are fourteen of us in the family!"—M. Quad.

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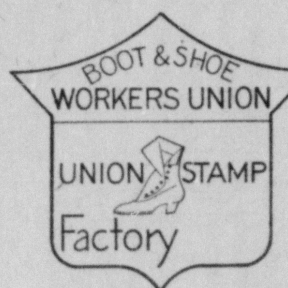
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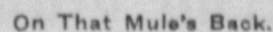
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ter of a well-to-do Lakewood family, was found unconscious in the garage of her home by her father. The girl was held prisoner for three days by men in a house directly in the rear of her own home.

Woman Was Murdered.

Elyria, O., March 28.—The mutilated body of a woman was found in the woods on the Albert Mills farm, four miles east of this city, by a boy employed by Mills. The body lay face down in a deep ditch in the heart of the woods. Coroner C. G. Garver says he believes the woman was killed two weeks ago. There is no mark of identification on the body.

GRADE CROSSING WAS THE CAUSE

(By American Press)

Chicago, March 28.—Miss Caroline Duror of New York city and Miss Lola B. Whitmore of Utica, N. Y., women students of the University of Chicago on a geological pilgrimage in Wisconsin, were instantly killed by a passenger train three miles from Baraboo. They were hurled fifteen feet into Devil's lake, the accident occurring at a sharp curve in the track, where there is an abrupt rock cliff on one side and the lake on the other. Miss Whitmore and Miss Duror concluded final examinations and left for Wisconsin, expecting to spend the week of the spring vacation as much in the open as possible, doing field work in connection with their studies. They were stopping at the home of a friend just outside Baraboo.

COMING BACK

(By American Press)

New York, March 28.—Henry Morgenthau, ambassador to Turkey, contradicted a report that he had decided to resign his diplomatic post and head an organization that would work for the re-election of President Wilson. "As matters now stand," he said, "I expect to return to Constantinople."

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ROAD BUILDING IS DISCUSSED BY COMMITTEE

Committee Favors Paving Main Highways From City Limits to First Intersections—Lewis Pike to Get Attention—Next Meeting Expected to Attract Many Citizens.

The Fayette County Good Roads Committee, which organized Monday held an adjourned meeting at the Probate Judge's office Monday afternoon, and discussed tentative plans for road improvement throughout the county, and particularly near this city where the large amount of traffic has cut the main highways to pieces in an almost unbelievable manner.

A committee was appointed to take up the matter of immediate improvement of the Chillicothe pike from the city limits to the intersection of the Good Hope pike, and in fact wherever immediate attention is in demand on the road.

Another committee was appointed to take up the proposed improvement of the Lewis pike from Paint street intersection to the Devalon road, thus completing the connecting link between this city and the improved Devalon road and paving on the Bloomingburg and Midway pike.

The question of paving the main roads from the city limits to the first road intersection, was discussed at some length, and this will be recommended to the County Commissioners, it is stated.

The paving will probably not all be done, if done at all, for two or three years, and whether under the state aid plan or from the regular road fund or two-mill levy, or all three, is left to the county commissioners.

At the next meeting one week from next Monday, conditions in various townships will be taken up, and in all probability a number of delegations from the various townships will appear before the committee in order that the full sentiment may be ascertained and definite plans decided upon to be recommended to the county commissioners for action.

The next meeting will be held at the Probate Judge's Office which is well adapted to such meetings, and the use of which Judge Allen tenders to all organizations and societies as a meeting place.

CLUB WOMEN IN BABY WEEK CAMPAIGN

Yesterday afternoon in the Welfare rooms representatives of the various clubs and organizations of the city met with the Baby Week committee of the Browning Club, and completed arrangements for the Baby Week Campaign in Washington.

Mrs. Galbreath, one of the active promoters of the Columbus Baby Week addressed the meeting and gave many helpful suggestions.

Registration of babies began yesterday and the number registered was very gratifying to the committee. In order to facilitate matters registration centers have been es-

tablished in the outlying districts. Babies may be registered at Blackmore's grocery, Main street; the residence of Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Sycamore street; Mrs. J. W. Willis, Dayton avenue; Mrs. Reno, Oakland avenue; Mrs. Nina Cripps, in the East End and at the Welfare rooms, corner Main and Market streets.

Baby week opens with special services in all the churches and during the week talks will be made by the local physicians to both parents and pupils in the different school buildings.

The D. A. R., and Eastside Parent-Teachers club will have charge of the program at the Eastend building; the G. A. R. Circle, Cherry Hill Parent-Teacher club and Elmwood Aid Society at Cherry Hill, the W. R. C., Sunny Side Parent-Teacher club and Wesley Mite Society at Sunnyside and the Central Parent-Teacher club and the Browning Club at Central.

Tuesday evening, April 4, Dr. Hollingshead, of the Children's Bureau will deliver an illustrated lecture in the High School Auditorium and Wednesday morning will talk to the school children.

Wednesday evening Miss Freya Kauffman of the O. S. U. Home Economics Department will lecture in the Baptist church.

CREEKS HIGHEST SINCE 1913 FLOOD

Paint creek and other streams in Fayette county Tuesday morning were at higher flood stages than at any time since the memorable flood of March, 1913, when the flood stage passed all previous known records in this community.

The creeks were out of bank all day Monday, and heavy rains north of this city precipitated a fresh avalanche down the streams so that by two o'clock Tuesday morning the creeks had reached their highest point since the 1913 flood, and after remaining stationary for sometime began to recede about six o'clock Tuesday morning.

Considerable damage resulted in the flood plains of the various streams, such as water gates being torn out, soil swept away, and some corn and growing wheat destroyed.

Water stood in many cellars along the creek, and Circle avenue from the D. T. & I. to near Main street was under water.

MRS. SARAH CHANNEL DIES THIS MORNING

Mrs. Sarah Channel died at her home on Columbus avenue at eleven o'clock Tuesday morning. She had been in failing health for the last five years and her death was not unexpected since Sunday of this week when she became much worse.

Mrs. Channel leaves four children: Mrs. Geo. Manneisel of Sabina, Mr. J. W. Channel of Melvin, O., Mrs. Emma A. Thorp of Philadelphia, Pa., and Miss Gertrude of this city, with whom she made her home. Funeral arrangements will be announced after the arrival of the daughter from Philadelphia.

MOTOR CYCLE ON SIDEWALKS

A full grown motorcycle bearing a full grown man was a sight which residents of one of the city's principal streets beheld on the sidewalk, a day or two ago.

And the man was riding the motorcycle at a good rate of speed.

CATTLE STEALING CASE IS NOW ON IN PIKE COUNTY

First Seven Witnesses Offer Little or No Damaging Evidence Against Accused Men—Several Local Attorneys Working on Case.

The trial of Samuel Whited and Miles Holly, indicted upon a charge of stealing four cattle from a pasture near Bainbridge last November, is moving forward quite rapidly, and up to 2:20 o'clock Tuesday afternoon seven witnesses for the state had been examined, but none from this county had been placed upon the stand.

None of the seven witnesses presented any damaging evidence against the accused men, it was learned in a telephone conversation with one of the attorneys interested in the case.

The work of impaneling the jury was completed Tuesday morning and Attorney Lee Rankin, assisting in the prosecution, made the opening statement to the court and jury on behalf of the state. Attorney Nye Gregg, representing Sam Whited and Attorney John Logan, representing Miles Holly, made statements on behalf of the defendants.

The work of examining witnesses offered by the state was then taken up and progressed rapidly. It was expected that the State would rest sometime before noon Wednesday, after which some two score witnesses will be offered by the defense.

The Wednesday morning train will carry a large number of Fayette county citizens to Waverly.

TWO ADDITIONAL WITNESSES PICKED

James Gilmer and Martin Dyer have been subpoenaed to appear in Common Pleas court in Waverly, Wednesday, to testify in behalf of Sam Whited, accused of the theft of cattle in Pike county.

This brings the total number of witnesses subpoenaed in this county up to 41, most of whom will go to Waverly Wednesday morning.

SMALL ARMY TO MAN TRAINS FOR OUTING

It will require more than 150 men to man the seven all-steel trains which will carry the Dahl-Millikan party on the annual outing the last week in June.

Each of the trains will consist of seven steel pullman coaches, three steel dining cars and pulled by monster new engines.

When Messrs E. V. Baughn of Baltimore general superintendent of dining car service of the B. & O. rail road system and D. A. Galmari, division superintendent of dining car service met with Mr. Wm. M. Campbell, of the Dahl-Millikan Co., Monday arrangements were completed for the serving of nearly 3,000 meals, each meal to be the very best in every respect. Two meals will be served while going east and two meals while returning. The party will stop at the best hotels in the east. The Dahl-Millikan Co., as usual, bears the expense.

POSTPONE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The annual Fayette County Sunday School Convention has been postponed from the first week in April to the latter part of the same month, no definite dates having been decided upon so far, but the committee will meet Friday and decide the new dates as well as make arrangements for the convention.

Inability to obtain some of the speakers desired is announced as cause for postponement, and by changing the dates the speakers can be here.

DIVORCES AND MARRIAGES EVEN

During the past 27 days just four marriage licenses have been issued in the Probate Court, and four divorce suits were instituted.

The few marriages in so long a time establishes a new record in this county where the number of marriages has never been so low probably in two score years or even half a century.

Free! Free! TONIGHT Free! Free!
Empire Theatre
Pathe Gold Rooster play with Arnold Daly in
An Affair of Three Nations
In Five Parts
Everyone Admitted FREE Tonight

PECULIARLY SAD COMPLICATIONS FOLLOW DEATH OF MR. VAN DEMAN

The VanDeman home in Dayton is overwhelmed by a sad and unexpected sequence to the death of Mr. J. N. VanDeman.

The nurse was taken suddenly ill after Mr. VanDeman's death and authorities have pronounced her illness scarlet fever and quarantined the home. Dr. William VanDeman, who arrived from Toledo, Sunday night, is also quite ill.

The sorrow of death is made doubly tragic by these circumstances which have necessitated the doing away with the services to have been held at the home today and the sad burial tomorrow in this city, with the widow and so many of those nearest and dearest prevented from coming.

Three of the sons, Messrs. Fred, Frank and Stanley VanDeman, had not yet arrived from the East when the quarantine was placed and they will be over with the body on the C. H. & D. train Wednesday morning and the funeral arrangements as previously made will be carried out.

The body will be placed in a sealed metallic casket and the health authorities have everything in charge so that it is stated there is absolutely no danger in the removal.

Washington friends will do all in their power to aid the stricken family and give to the dead all that is due in the funeral services to be held at the Memorial Chapel in the Washington cemetery, under such sad auspices Wednesday morning at 10:30.

HANDSOME NEW SIGN FOR CHERRY HOTEL

The work of erecting a mammoth new electrical sign on the southeast corner of the Cherry Hotel was started Tuesday morning, and when the work is completed the sign will stand out sharply by day or night, and be visible from both north and south on Main street and east and west on Market street.

The large sign which previously occupied the space was removed and the workmen then started the work of installing supports and braces in the walls for the huge new sign, which is more than 25 feet high with attractive lettering, and with the large letters carried out with incandescent bulbs.

FEDERALS DEFEAT THE WILEY MIDGETS

The Federals, in a very hotly contested game, defeated the Midgets at the Y. M. C. A., Monday night, with just one point to the good, the score being 16 to 15.

The game was one of the most interesting played between the intermediate teams. The final game of the season will be played within the next few days.

STOCK SALES DRAW MANY TO THE CITY

Regardless of bad road conditions, quite a good sized crowd attended the monthly stock sales in this city and many horses changed hands at good prices.

The demand for good work horses was most pronounced, many farmers desiring the animals for preparing the soil and cultivating the crops.

REGISTRATION CENTERS

Mothers who wish to register their babies for physical examination may do so at Blackmore's grocery, Main street; Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Sycamore St.; Mrs. J. W. Willis, Dayton avenue; Mrs. Reno, Oakland avenue; Mrs. Nina Cripps, Lewis street; Welfare rooms, Main and Market.

Babies may be registered by telephone.

TOMORROW
ROBERT WARWICK IN
The Sins of Society
Matinee 2:30 for ladies and children.
First night show 7:00. Second 8:15
Admission 10c to all

PALACE TONIGHT
Fox Feature—Maud Gilbert and Wm. Tooker in
"THE FOOL'S REVENGE"
If a Fox Feature you know
It Has Class To It
First show 6:45. Second 8:00. Third 9:15
TOMORROW
Carter DeHaven and Flora Parker DeHaven in
"THE WRONG DOOR"
Coming Soon - "Damaged Goods."
Matinee Every Day This Week

GOOD POETRY NOT POPULAR.

We Pretend to Like It, but Really Do Not, Affirms a Critic.

The man in the trolley car, the woman in the rocking chair, the clerk, the doctor, the manufacturer, most lawyers and some ministers would if their hearts were opened give simply a categorical negative. They do not like poetry, or they think they do not like it; in either case with the same result.

The rhythm annoys them (little wonder since they usually read it as prose). The rhyme seems needless, the inversions, the compressions, perplex their minds to no valuable end. Speaking honestly, they do not like poetry. And if their reason is the old one—

I do not like you, Doctor Fell.

The reason why I cannot tell.

it is none the less effective. Here in America especially when we like poetry we like it none too good. The "old favorites" are almost all platitudinous in thought and monotonous in rhythm. We prefer sentiment and have a weakness for slush. Pathos seems to us better than tragedy, anecdote than wit. Longfellow was and is except in metropolitan centers our favorite "classical" poet.

The truth is that many of the intelligent in our population skip poetry in their reading just because it is poetry. They read no poetry or they read bad poetry occasionally or they read good poetry badly.—Henry Seidel Canby in Harper's Magazine.

OUR BUFFALO NICKELS.

They Carry a True Portrait of the American Indian.

The Indian head and buffalo nickels were first put in circulation Feb. 22, 1913, at the ceremonies inaugurating the memorial to the North American Indian at Fort Wadsworth, when the new coin was produced by Dr. George F. Kunz. The first one was given to President Taft, and others were distributed among the Indian chiefs present.

The design was prepared for the treasury department by James Earle Frazier, who was one of Augustus St. Gaudens' assistants at Cornish, N. H., and who did the St. Gaudens medal for the Pan-American exposition, the statue of Jefferson for the St. Louis

World's Fair and the Roosevelt bust for the senate chamber at Washington. The Indian head, which is in profile, showing the head feathers, coarse, hair braided hair and thin, seamed face, is presented as a "true portrait" of the Indian type rather than a romantic idealization.

Gardner Teall, defending the new coin against criticism that greeted its first appearance, called it the presentation of "a real Indian, commemorating in a fitting way the noble red man." "The buffalo," he added, "stands in many ways as an equally noble symbol in our history's progress."—New York Times.

SHRINES IN CHINA.

One on Mount Omei Often Lures Enthusiast to Death.

On the climbing hill roads in western China on the lower slopes of Omei, the sacred mountain, may be seen now and then a motley procession of Chinese of all ranks wearing strings of "cash" around their necks and carrying yellow bags, bound for the presence of the many shrines. The strings of cash are for the mendicants, inseparable concomitant of worship in the Orient.

The road leads upward through forests of ash and pine, pleasantly cool after the heat of the eastern plains. Some of the wealthier are carried on uncomfortable little wooden saddles strapped to the backs of coolies, but the majority seek salvation on foot. As one pants higher and higher one comes to the first of the monasteries, a new structure, low and cool. Almost all the monasteries are new.

Mount Omei is uncomfortably close to heaven in some ways. Lightning bolts strike the buildings frequently, and the whole top has been burned over again and again. Nevertheless more than 2,000 monks dwell here, and to fulfill all their duty the pious must burn tapers before sixty-two shrines. There is the Hall of the Tranquil Heart and the Gate of Heaven, through which you come to the Monastery of Everlasting Joy.

The most beautiful spot on Mount Omei is a jutting ledge above an almost bottomless precipice. The spot is called the Rejection of the Body. Many a mystic, intoxicated by endless distance and dizzying height, has solved here all the problems of religion by a single step over the brink.—Argonaut.

JOS. I. TAGGART
"The Life Insurance Man."

RACE TONIGHT
There will be an Amateur Championship Race
AT THE
SKATING RINK TONIGHT
Contestants: John Donohue, Beryl Williams, Carroll Ford
Admission 5c. Skates 10 and 20c
The rink will be open every afternoon and night until Saturday, April 1st, inclusive.

YOUR LAST CHANCE TO SEE
Bessie Berriscale
IN
Honor's Altar
AT THE
COLONIAL
TONIGHT

A modern society drama, dealing with a self-made man who tries to rid himself of the wife of his youth, whom he thinks beneath his social standing.

In conjunction will also present Triangle Comedy entitled
His Auto Ruination
Admission 10c. First show 6:45, 2d 8:15
THURSDAY: Douglas Fairbanks in "His Name in The Papers."
Coming: Billie Burke in Peggy.

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Special Agent, Washington C. H., Ohio.

Mr. Mitchener recently accepted the appointment as Special Agent of the Northwestern, because of the urgent demands of the company's business and the opportunity for service and reward. He is a man thoroughly tried and tested and not found wanting in experience, integrity and character.

The best interests of all our great body of policy holders will be most carefully and conscientiously looked after by him. New and prospective policy holders all find it a pleasure to do business with him.

We commend him most cordially to all. Get acquainted with Mr. Mitchener, if you do not already know him. He is worthy of your confidence. He will give you good service. You can depend upon him. You will like him.

Yours truly,

J. I BEHLING, General Agent Central Ohio, Brunson Building, Columbus, O.

ALL STARS WIN IN FINAL GAME

Smith Brothers and All Stars Tie When Time Is Called, But All Stars Run Away From Opponents in Final Five Minutes.

The All Stars are still entitled to their title, and will still retain their brilliancy at least until the season opens next year, having defeated the Smith Brothers' team in a hard game on the Gym floor Monday night.

The game was unusually rough and not a little exciting, with the crowd cheering for their respective favorites and urging them on to still greater efforts in the last game of the season.

At the close of the first half the Smith Brothers had the long end of a 15 to 7 score, Playey refereeing the first half.

The second half was more exciting and when time was sounded both had 25 points, and five minutes was allowed to play off the tie.

It was a critical time and the All Stars put their best efforts to the fore, running their score up eight points while Smith Brothers made only two additional points, leaving the final score 33 to 27. Patton refereed the last half and the play-off.

Schlach was the star of the Stars and Earl Smith was the star of the Smith Brothers' team. Schlach, as one of the forwards, made eight field goals and two foul goals. Smith, as center, made four field goals and seven foul goals.

The line-ups: All Stars—Forwards, Hays and Schlach; Center, Johnson; Guards, Strevey and Peterson.

Smith Brothers—Forwards, Homer and Paul; Center, Earl; Guards, Orville and Claude.

SEYMOUR NABBED CARRIED PACKAGE

Tom Seymour, white was placed under arrest and locked up until he could sober up and face His Honor the Mayor later in the day, Tuesday.

Chief Moore also went out to pick up a man and his wife who also are alleged to have been imbibing too freely.

Is a novel form of policy as important as low management expense in your life insurance company? W. M. Mitchener.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. Claude Saxton was a visitor in Columbus Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Rogers of Columbus, is visiting Mrs. Grant Hays.

Mrs. L. O. Tullis and Miss Tullis are spending the week in Newark.

Mrs. Abe Kessell arrived from Cincinnati, for a visit with Mr. Kessell.

Jesse Worley returned Monday evening from visits in Delaware and Columbus.

Miss Leola Rodgers returned Tuesday morning from a five weeks' visit in Springfield.

Mrs. Ed. Roose came over from Springfield for a visit Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Frank Sharp came over from Dayton Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloomer.

Supt. Mm. McClain, wife and daughter, Miss Eleanore, returned Monday night from London.

Mrs. J. B. Davies of Jeffersonville was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Fultz, Monday.

Miss Mable Houpp is spending the spring vacation week in Wilmington.

Mrs. Willis Jones, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting Mrs. Margaret Colwell and Mrs. Alice Moorman.

Mr. Harry Wilkins spent Tuesday in Columbus, called by the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Lewis Mark is visiting Mrs. Clayton Trout, in Springfield this week.

Mrs. Neil B. Jones is rallying nicely from the operation of Monday at the Fayette Hospital.

Mrs. Mabel Wright and little son Clyde, returned Tuesday morning from a visit in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. U. W. Cannon of Jeffersonville are shopping visitors here today.

Mr. Allen E. Pearson left for the east Monday after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Boynton Gage.

Mrs. Marcus W. Crocker and daughter Florence of Columbus are the guests of Mrs. E. E. Ginn and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lewis and

children were the guests of Mrs. Lewis' mother, Mrs. J. L. Chapman, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dahl left Tuesday for New York, to visit their daughters, Misses Charlotte and Nina Dahl.

Miss Stella West, daughter of Mr. C. P. West, underwent a throat operation at the Fayette Hospital, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Junk and daughter Mary Katharine, are spending the day the guests of Miss Etta Junk at Austin.

Mr. Fred Carpenter arrives from Toledo Tuesday evening to visit his parents, Judge and Mrs. F. G. Carpenter.

Isabel and Helen Bliss Enderlin, of Chillicothe, are spending the spring vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Paul.

Miss Vera Veal entertained Mrs. Lucy Bold, of Canal Dover, Worthy Grand Matron, O. E. S., the past two days for the O. E. S. inspection of Monday night.

Messrs. Earl and Claude Smith of Canton, have been the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith, of the Columbus pike, for several days.

Mrs. Carl E. Playey returned Monday evening to her home in Columbus after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy, north of town.

Mrs. L. C. Price, of Circleville, member of the National Board of Home Missions, has been the guest of Mrs. Ed Pine the past two days, to attend the O. E. S. inspection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kinnear came down from Columbus, Tuesday to visit Mrs. Kinnear's mother, Mrs. Ellen Cissna, and sister, Mrs. N. S. Barnett.

Clare Frances Snider returned to her home in Columbus Monday evening, after a visit with her uncle, Mr. W. B. Snider, and family. Mr. Snider accompanied her home.

Mrs. J. Star Smith leaves Wednesday morning for Detroit, Mich., to visit Mrs. Hibben Ervin and daughter, Mrs. Jennie Bailey. She will also visit an aunt in Toronto, Canada, before returning.

Miss Virginia Campbell is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Campbell, in Bainbridge and will join Miss Susanne Lannius in Chillicothe for a visit with Miss Lannius' relatives later in the week.

Mr. D. S. Cochran, Superintendent of the Fayette Canning Company of this city, is back from a week's stay in New York state, where he found the mercury below zero, snow 30 inches in depth and snow drifts 15 feet deep.

Dr. McAlister of Highland brought to the Hodson Hospital Monday, Mrs. John Taylor, of Highland, to undergo a major operation, performed by Dr. G. S. Hodson. The patient is resting as comfortably as possible today.

Mrs. S. E. Patton left Tuesday morning for Grove City, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Jess Grant. She was accompanied as far as Columbus by her brother, Mr. Chas. Darnell, of Bainbridge, who has been visiting her, and who goes on to New York to visit his daughter.

BROWNING CLUB TONIGHT.
Regular meeting of Browning Club tonight at 7:30. Full attendance urged.

ROYAL CHAPTER HOLDS INSPECTION

The annual inspection of Royal Chapter No. 29, O. E. S., passed off successfully Monday night, with a large attendance at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Martha R. Mark, Worthy Matron, and Mr. Wilfred N. Hays, Worthy Patron, were the presiding officers and the smoothness and perfection of the work drew high praise from the inspecting officer, Mrs. Lucy Bold, of Canal Dover, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mrs. Wm. Waddell was the candidate.

After the work refreshments were served in the banquet hall and there was a delightful social hour.

The presence of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Bold, and Past Grand Matron, Mrs. Bessie Boice, now Grand Secretary, was much appreciated.

Additional out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Trevor, Mrs. George Swope, of Springfield; Mrs. Belle Rector, Williamsport; Mrs. L. C. Price, Past Matron of Circleville Chapter; Miss Erceel Stitt, Worthy Matron of the Bloomingburg Chapter; Miss Jesse Leavell, of Bloomingtonburg.

FOUR GAMES BOOKED BY THE ATHLETICS

The baseball season in Washington C. H., will open officially, Sunday, April 9, it is announced, with a game at Athletic Park, between the Athletics and the Standards, of Springfield. The Standards are said to be an exceptionally strong aggregation and will pitch Bennett, formerly of the Ohio State Leaguers, against the locals.

The Sunday following, the Athletics will meet the Cincinnati Irbolds, the Cincinnati Urichos a week later, and have scheduled a game with a Cincinnati team managed by L. B. Harrison for the Sunday after. This latter team is said to comprise for the most part of the old Cincinnati Muldoons. All of these games will be played on the local grounds.

The Athletic Club announces that, weather conditions favorable, there will be a game next Sunday between the Athletics and a team composed of players from other local organizations.

Another promising acquisition has been made to the Athletic pitching staff in the person of young "Sandy" Kneisley, of Bainbridge, who pitched two games for the locals at the close of last season.

LAYING LEAD PIPE FOR NEW PAVING

For several days the work of laying lead pipes on Paint street has been under way, the work being necessary to supplant the rusted water pipes which would soon become so defective that the new paving would be torn up to replace them.

By installing lead pipe, as required by ordinance, no tearing up of the paving will be necessary.

FREIGHT DERAILED

A C. H. & D. east bound freight was derailed at Caldwell's crossing west of Chillicothe, Monday morning, making it necessary to detour C. H. & D. trains over the B. & O. between Musselman and Chillicothe until the derailment was abolished.

In Social Circles

The Elks and their ladies are anticipating an evening of more than ordinary pleasure in the Informal Dollar Dance and social to be given by the social session committee, Don H. C. Bowen, Wm. M. Campbell, S. A. Leary, Friday night.

The special feature of the evening will be the introduction to the ladies of the new member, "Bill, the Elk."

Smith's Saxophone Trio, of Columbus, has been engaged and all those in touch with this music know what splendid music is assured them—music that makes dancing a positive delight.

Cards will entertain for those who do not enjoy dancing, and a buffet lunch will be served.

WANTS INFORMATION

Mayor C. W. Breech, of Cleburne, Texas, has written to Mayor Oster asking for information relative to a municipal lighting plant, with a view to erecting a municipal plant in Cleburne.

LAI TO REST

James Oren, aged 77 years, father of Conductor Oren, on the D. T. & I. was buried in the Fairview cemetery at Jeffersonville, Sunday, having passed away Friday.

HA! HA! HA! HA!

That Box Supper will be a funny one. You just come and be convinced. Your girl will be there looking for you, on Wednesday evening, March 29th, at 7 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church basement. 74 t1

MASQUERADE.

Ladie Maccabees at Red Men's hall Tuesday, March 28th. Admission 10c cents. Everybody invited. 71 t4

COMMITTEE.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—A straight bred Margee male hog, 2 years old. Good breeder. M. L. McCoy 74 6t

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, in good condition. Mrs. J. D. Weagly, 329 Forest St., between Paint and Temple. 74 t1

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock, Ringlet strain, eggs for hatching; 50c for fifteen. Mrs. W. E. Sever, Washington C. H., O., Route 2, Bell phone 111-R2. 74 t26

FOR RENT—3 room house with large garden. Fayette Renting Agency, Rooms 6 and 7, Pavey Building. 74 t1

THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Finest potatoes in town, 35c per peck, \$1.30 per bushel, 3 pounds finest hand picked soup beans for 25c. Pinto beans, 7c, 4 pounds for 25c; fancy lima beans 8c, 3 1/2 lbs. for 25c. Circleville lettuce, very fine, 15c per pound. Nice green kale, 7c, 4 pounds for 25c. Rome Beauty apples, 30c per peck. These prices good 'till further notice. Fancy celery, solid cabbage, sound onions, parsnips, fancy oranges, grape fruit, lemons, bananas. Get a bottle of Duffee's Cough Syrup; finest on earth for all coughs, colds and the grippe. Contains no opiates or poisons; pleasant to take. Big 6-oz. bottle for 25c.

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.
New Phone 7771—Bell 77.

"THE SINS OF SOCIETY"

Robert Warwick is the Star in the Great Brady Photoplay.

Robert Warwick is presented by the World Film Corporation in a picturization of the remarkable stage success, "The Sins of Society." This is a drama which takes its theme from the deadly vice of gambling. Two little children are shown in the early part of the picture who are suffering from the inheritance of gambling.

This drama is full of exciting situations and incidents; indeed, it is probably the most thrilling melodrama of World Film's recent offerings. Robert Warwick heads a splendid cast. He is throughout his own fine, manly, vigorous, handsome self, and is sure again to please his millions of admirers amongst movie fans.

"The Sins of Society" will be presented at the Empire Theater on Wednesday, March 29, Matinee 2:30. Admission 10c. Adyt.

Boost Washington—Buy at home.

EMPIRE THEATRE

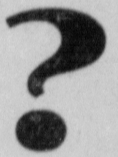
STARTING SATURDAY,

April 1st,

and running every Saturday.

Matinee 2:00.

First Night Show 7:00.



WHO WAS THE MURDERER?

MARY PAGE, young, beautiful, is accused of the crime.

James Pollock, drunkard, man-about-town, pursuer of Mary Page, is dead. Mary's revolver lies beside him.

Did Mary Page kill James Pollock?

Look for the Answer in Our New Photo Play Serial

The Strange Case of MARY PAGE

This story has been written by the editor of McClure's Magazine, under the non de plume of Frederick Lewis, in collaboration with Mr. John T. M'Intyre, who is best known for his Ashton Kirk Detective Stories.

Read the Story
See The Ladies World.
ADMISSION 10c

THE HOME OF GOOD PICTURES AND MUSIC

Wonderland

TONIGHT

BUCK SIMMONS, PUNCHER

A TWO-REEL WESTERN DRAMA.

The Whole Jungle was after him. A Wild Animal Comedy.

ADMISSION 5c.

TOMORROW Blanche Sweet in her greatest achievement of her remarkable career, "THE CASE OF BECKY."

Thursday World Film Corporation presents "HER GREATER HOUR," featuring Molly McIntyre.

Friday's Paramount, "PEER GYNT," featuring Cyril Maude.
Matinee Each Day at 2:30.

SCIOTO NEARS DANGER MARKS

Reaches Twenty Foot Stage
at Columbus.

LEVEES HOLDING SWELL

Schools and Factories Are Closed In the Threatened Zone, While Hundreds of Families Seek Safety In Other Parts of the City—Lowlands Inundated at a Number of Northern Ohio Points.

Columbus, March 28.—With the Scioto river within a couple of feet of the danger mark, a possible break in the levees is the only source of apprehension in this city. The police department and workmen are on guard to prevent this.

The river reached the 20 foot stage. Twenty-two is the danger line.

Hundreds of families deserted their homes on the West Side, and in many instances the fathers remained in the houses during the night to guard against looting. Practically every family in the so-called flood zone took the precaution to move furniture to upper floors. Business houses also safeguarded their stocks in this way.

Relief stations have been opened at convenient points.

West Side schools and factories were closed. Thousands of West Siders starting early in the morning for their offices or shops in other sections of the city stopped when they saw the river's rise. They returned to their homes to take their wives and children to places of safety or to transfer the living quarters to upper floors. Streetcar service was halted at Scioto bridges and passengers were forced to walk across. Persons who could not explain the necessity of their presence on the West Side were discouraged from going into that section.

Extra patrolmen were assigned to duty in the threatened district to prevent looting of the hundreds of houses which were abandoned by their occupants. Reports that petty thefts were committed at various places were received at headquarters.

A slight break occurred in the west levee north of State street. Workmen got busy at once with bags of sand. A close guard is being kept over the place.

The railroads are removing all cars from the West Side yards.

The authorities have hundreds of boats in readiness against a possible sudden need.

TRAINS ARE HALTED

(By American Press)

Findlay, O., March 28.—A total rainfall of 1.47 inches for twenty-four hours brought the Blanchard river and its tributaries to a state almost equal to the height of the flood of Jan.

LIEUT. W. FINCH



One of the subalterns in the punitive expedition into Mexico.

WILL RAID AND MURDER NO MORE



United States cavalry viewing the dead body of a Villa bandit killed in the flight from Columbus.

SCIOTO MARSH GIVES SLIP TO BONDS

(By American Press)

Kenton, O., March 28.—Only tops of fence posts can be seen in the Scioto marsh districts, where farm houses are surrounded by water. No lives have been lost. Workmen built the levees near the waterworks engine room higher and kept the flood from putting out the fire, as it did in 1913. In Kenton the police moved twenty families to places of safety. While men waited in boats one mother gave birth to a baby boy with the water rapidly rising in the one-story cottage. Mother and babe may die as a result of the exposure.

FLOOD FREAKS

(By American Press)

Upper Sandusky, O., March 28.—With Timoches creek and Broken Sword on a rampage and the Sandusky river rising rapidly and flooding lowlands for miles, Wyandot county is threatened with a repetition of 1913 flood. The Sandusky river is a mile wide near this city. The roads and bridges just recently repaired are threatened.

At Flood Stage.

Fremont, O., March 28.—The Sandusky river is above the 10 foot stage, with prospects of going to 12 or better. Some sections of the lowlands of the city are inundated. Many persons are ready and will be compelled to vacate if the water goes much higher.

At Zanesville.

Zanesville, O., March 28.—The Muskingum river has reached a 22 foot stage, 3 feet below the danger mark. Heavy rains here and along the upper Muskingum caused considerable apprehension.

WISE CONCLUSION

(By American Press)

Washington, March 28.—Republican senators met in adjourned session of their party conference, coming over from Saturday, and authorized Senator Gallinger to make a statement of their position. The Republicans disclaimed any intention to embarrass the president, but declared that his policy of military defense on the border was inadequate. They urged the sending of all available regular troops that can be spared, to be supplemented with volunteers if necessary.

3 VESSELS SUNK

(By American Press)

London, March 28.—The French steamer Hebe, the British steamer Cerne and the British fish carrier Kharthum have been sunk. All aboard the Cerne are known to have been saved, and it is believed the Hebe's crew was rescued. Nine of the Kharthum's crew are missing and probably drowned.

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WILY VILLA GIVES SLIP TO BONDS

Did Not Break Through
American Lines.

STATEMENT OF FUNSTON

Believed on the Border That the Chase For Villa Will Be a Long One, as the Outlaw Is at Home in the Mountain Country—American Troops Suffering From the Extreme Cold.

San Antonio, Tex., March 28.—General Villa having slipped through the hands of the Mexican troops at Nami-quipa, the chase will be a long one, in the opinion of army men. The "Fox of the Sierras," as the outlaw has been called, has all the advantages ascribed to the needle in the haystack. He will be caught, but American troops may have to remain in Mexico until summer searching the crags and canyons of the Sierra Madres.

General Funston announced that Villa did not break through the lines of the American forces, but slipped by the Carranzistas. He wants this fact to be made as plain as possible.

There is reason to believe that the Carranza troops are not only failing to co-operate actively with the American troops, but are actually aiding Villa to escape.

"The road between the border and Casas Grandes has become well nigh impassable," General Funston declared. "Torn up by hundreds of trucks, motorcycles and horses, the sand has become so deep as to make this means of transportation too slow to be of much value."

General Funston reported members of the expeditionary force suffering from cold. "Clad lightly for desert heat," he said, "our troops are now actually suffering from the extreme cold of the mountain country."

Many scouts and secret service men are being employed by General Funston. They will be paid out of a fund of \$20,000 appropriated by the war department.

230 Miles South of Border.

Returning to Casas Grandes, General Pershing announced that he had established an advanced base at El Valle, 120 miles south of the present field base, Casas Grandes, being 110 miles from the border, the American troops are now 230 miles in the interior of Mexico, with the distance daily increasing.

General Funston has received no word of sniping by Mexicans, as reported from El Paso. He says General Pershing would report to him if it were true. Long messages have

been received from General Pershing, but little is made public, except the fact that Villa has escaped and that three American columns are seeking to locate him.

Three detachments are within forty miles of the neighborhood where the bandit was last reported. They are Major Evans' men, proceeding along a trail south from San Jose; Major Lindley's troops at Chico, on the Mexico Northwestern, and 500 soldiers under Colonel Brown on their way from Babicora to Namiquipa. Colonel Dodd is in command of these columns, which have had to be thinned on account of the necessity of guarding the communications. General Pershing has sent out supporting columns of minor strength.

Lieutenant Bowen, the aviator injured in a fall at Casas Grandes, arrived at San Antonio and was taken to the Fort Sam Houston hospital.

ILLINOIS, TOO

Chicago, March 28.—Five deaths and seven injuries in Chicago and nearby towns of northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin, and a property damage estimated at \$500,000, made up the toll of the floods which followed a heavy rain and windstorm. Charles Owen and William Orr, farmers near South Wayne, Wis.; Lester Kelley of Mineral Point, and William H. Orr, St. Paul railroad agent at Winslow, Ill., were drowned. Josiah E. Symons, architect of Chicago and Winnetka, was killed when his auto collided with another during the storm.

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GERMAN TRENCHES STORMED

Infantry Attacks Follow Explosion of a Big Mine.

London, March 28.—The British and Germans have been fighting fiercely in the region of St. Eloi, five miles northwest of Arras, and the British, through the explosion of a big mine and by infantry charges have captured or destroyed a considerable portion of the German trenches.

The British infantry stormed and took first and second line trenches along a "cat of 600 yards, London officially announces, and Berlin admits that German trenches in this region were blown up to an extent of 100 yards and that "casualties were caused among the company occupying the position."

Again the bombardment has become intense to the northwest and northeast of Verdun and considerable activity by the big guns also has been shown in the Woivre region, southeast of the fortress. The time seemingly is not ripe, however, for an infantry attack and the men of both sides have lain idle in their trenches, awaiting the moment for attack and counter attack.

MICHIGAN FLOODS

(By American Press)

Detroit, March 28.—Saginaw, Genesee and Bay counties, pelted by rain for nearly forty-eight hours, are flood centers in storm-swept Michigan. Nearly every stream in these counties is either out of its banks or at flood stage. No estimate of total damage to property, stock and merchandise can be made at present. The loss, however, may be more than \$1,000,000.

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Markets

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LIVE STOCK MARKET.
Chicago, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 15000—Market weak — Bulk \$9.80 @ 9.95; light \$9.50 @ 10.05; mixed \$9.55 @ 10.00; heavy \$9.55 @ 9.85; rough \$9.55 @ 9.70; pigs \$7.50 @ 8.65.

Cattle — Receipts 4000—Market steady — Native beef steers \$7.75 @ 10.00; cows and heifers \$4.25 @ 9.00 calves \$8.00 @ 10.50.
Sheep and Lambs — Receipts 10,000—Market steady—Wethers \$8.60 @ 9.35; lambs \$9.85 @ 11.90.

Pittsburg, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 2000—Market higher—Heavies and heavy yorkers \$10.25 @ 10.30 light yorkers \$9.25 @ 9.60; pigs \$8.50 @ 9.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6000 —Market steady—Top sheep \$9.25; top lambs \$11.75.

Calves — Receipts 100 — Market steady—Top \$10.50.

East Buffalo, March 28.—Cattle —Receipts 350—Market active and steady.

Veal — Receipts 650 — Market slow—Quotation \$4.00 @ 10.00.

Hogs — Receipts 5000—Market active—Heavies and mixed \$10.25 @ 10.30; yorkers \$9.50 @ 10.25; pigs \$9.00 @ 9.25; roughs \$9.25 @ 9.35; stags \$6.50 @ 7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000 —Market active — Lambs \$8.00 @ 12.00; yearlings \$8.50 @ 10.75; Wethers \$9.00 @ 9.50; ewes \$4.00 @ 8.75; sheep, mixed \$8.75 @ 9.00.

Cleveland, March 28. — Cattle—Receipts 150 — Market slow.

Calves — Receipts 100—Market slow—Good to choice veal calves \$9.50 @ 10.00.

Sheep — Receipts 1000—Market steady.

Hogs — Receipts 1500—Market 5 cents lower—Yorkers, heavies, lights, medium \$10.00; pigs \$8.75; roughs \$9.00; stags \$7.50.

GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, March 28. — Wheat—May \$1.13 1/4; July \$1.10 1/4.
Corn—May 73 3/4; July 75 1/4.
Oats—May 43 3/4; July 42 1/4.
Pork—May \$23.12; July \$22.95.
Lard—May \$11.57; July \$11.82.

CLOVER SEED.
Toledo, Ohio, March 28. — Prime, cash \$11.25; March \$11.15; April \$9.60; October \$8.55.

THE LOCAL MARKET

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Wheat \$1.99
Yellow Corn 60c
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ROYAL CADET IS SOLD BY VALLERY FOR FANCY PRICE

The prominence of Fayette county as the birthplace of famous harness horses is considerably enhanced with the report that Oscar Vallery, formerly of this county, but now the owner of Sylvan Park Stock Farm of Derby, has sold to Sol B. Wolf, of New York city, the noted trotter, Royal Cadet 2:12 1/4, for a consideration of \$1,500. The sale was consummated Thursday and hereafter Royal Cadet will be seen in select trotting society in the vicinity of New York.

As Royal Cadet is one of the best, if not the best known trotter that has been campaigned over Ohio tracks for the past three seasons, a few words about the horse and his history will not be out of place at this time. Royal Cadet is a nine-year-old bay gelding by Vice Commodore 2:11, and out of the famous broodmare Dover Girl (dam of March Gale 2:11 1/4, Dover Maid 2:12 1/4 etc.), by Dover Boy. This is, indeed, royal breeding for a trotter. Royal Cadet was bred by Val R. McCoy of this city and sold to Mr. Vallery in one of the sales at the local pavilion for \$400.

Mr. McCoy gave the trotter his early training and worked him in 2:22 over the local track. After the purchase Royal Cadet was more inclined to pace than trot and his training the first season in the hands of Vallery was a failure. However, Mr. Vallery did not lose confidence

in the young horse and the second year his training was very successful. In the fall of this year Royal Cadet participated in twelve races, winning eight firsts. He accomplished the record-breaking performance of winning seven races in seventeen days. His campaign the next season was very successful, the trotter taking part in ten races, winning five firsts. Last year he took part in thirteen races, winning six firsts, and retiring the season with a record of 2:12 1/4, made at London, Ohio.

During the three years Royal Cadet has been campaigned by Mr. Vallery he started in thirty-nine races, winning nineteen firsts and only on two occasions did he fail to win a portion of the purse money. His total winning for the three years is more than \$4,300 and Mr. Vallery figures that Royal Cadet has netted him a clear profit of over \$4,000.

Mr. Wolf, the purchaser, is a millionaire amateur and a leading spirit of the New York Road Drivers' Club. The sale was made in the presence of several people and Mr. Wolf gave Mr. Vallery a one thousand dollar bill and one five hundred dollar bill for the trotter. Royal Cadet was shipped by express Friday morning to Terre Haute, Ind., where the trotters and pacers owned by Mr. Wolf are quartered in the stable of his trainer, Bert Tippet.

FLOOD WARNINGS TO CHILLICOTHE

By Associated Press.

Columbus, O., March 28.—Flood warnings were sent to Circleville and Chillicothe today by the United States Weather Bureau here.

It was said the crest of the Scioto River high waters would reach Chillicothe sometime tonight, but the weather man considered it improbable that the flood stage of 20 feet at Chillicothe would be passed.

BALTIMORE BLAZE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Baltimore, Md., March 28. — Fire which endangered a whole block of big business houses, broke out on the third floor of a wholesale hardware establishment on West German street this afternoon.

Half of the fire department of the city was called out to combat the flames.

VILLA DASHING AHEAD OF HIS MEN



Chief of the marauding bandits seen in a characteristic pose.

EXPECT WAITE TO TALK

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, March 28.—The District Attorney expects to obtain a confession this afternoon from Dr. Arthur W. Waite, accused of murdering his father-in-law, John E. Peck, millionaire druggist of Grand Rapids.

Frank Waite, brother of the accused man, declared that the young dentist expects to make a clean breast of everything.

INDICTMENTS ARE QUASHED

Judge Anderson Grants Motion of Indicted Steel Companies at Youngstown.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Youngstown, O., March 28.—Judge W. S. Anderson today granted the motion to quash the indictments recently returned here against five steel companies charging them with conspiring to fix the price of labor and steel products.

The indictments against the United States Steel Corporation and E. H. Gary, head of the corporation, still stand, as the motion to quash did not include these two defendants on whom service has not been secured.

The steel company attorneys attacked the indictments as being too indefinite and uncertain, depriving the defendants of their constitutional rights.

GENERAL ROBERT EVANS

Commands Second Brigade, U. S. A., at Laredo, Tex.



Photo by American Press Association.

FLOOD PANIC IS GIVING WAY AT COLUMBUS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., March 28. — With the Scioto River flood waters gradually receding, and with the levees still holding, all danger of a flood here was considered passed today.

Thousands of citizens from the West Side, where nearly 100 persons lost their lives in the 1913 flood, today were returning to their homes.

They fled yesterday with their families and household goods when the river reached the danger mark.

The river gauge this morning stood between 17 and 18 feet, as compared with nearly 20 feet last night.

As there have been no heavy rains in the upper Scioto Valley, the Weather Bureau announced that all danger had passed.

Swoolen streams and flooded lowlands were reported from many sections of the state today, but no serious damage or loss of life.

WOW!

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cleveland, O., March 28. — The will of Lewis D. Boynton, wealthy lawyer, which was offered for probate at Elyria today, contains the following statement:

"I particularly warn against attorneys-at-law and sincerely trust it may not be necessary to employ them in the adjustment of my estate.

"My experience has taught me that they are all dangerous crooks, expressly educated to obtain one's confidence in order that they may rob with impunity."

INVESTIGATING TRAGEDY RUMOR

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Newark, O., March 28.—Police are investigating a report that a woman lost her life when a bridge collapsed this morning in the flood waters.

NAVY NEEDS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 28.—Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt testifying today before the House Naval Committee, said that a quarter of a million men would be needed in the United States Navy in times of war.

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Peas—Telephone Fall, Premium Gem Dwarf.
Beans—Red Valentine, Kentucky Wonder, Lazy Wife, Red Kidney.
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WHERE DRUGGISTS FLOURISH.

How the Business is Run in the South American Republics.

Latin Americans are great believers in medicines and, due to the scarcity of physicians, are obliged to "doctor" themselves. Pharmacy is consequently profitable. With the exception of modern Europe, Canada and the United States pharmacy is practiced in other lands of the world much as it was in the United States seventy-five or a hundred years ago, and this is particularly true of the republics to the south of us.

The individual druggist makes his own pills, extracts, tinctures, infusions and pulverizes his own crude drugs. Soda water fountains are few. The usual rubber goods, toilet articles, soaps, perfumes, instruments and sundries are carried.

Each druggist makes a line of his own specialties which he pushes. In addition to the standard drugs and medicines, he also carries remedies and medicaments known only in his immediate vicinity. They are mostly of Indian origin, compounded from roots, herbs or other ingredients, produced only in the country where he lives. These find a ready sale among all classes.

Superstitious ideas are prevalent, and these are frequently taken advantage of by the unscrupulous. One pharmacist made a fortune selling Indians, half castes, and whites, for that matter, too, "pink love powders" and "white love powders." The white love powder was pulverized sugar, while the pink love powder was made of the same material colored. Indians would walk hundreds of miles to buy this precious powder—Lester's Weekly

A broad margin of leisure is as beautiful in a man's life as in a book. Haste makes waste no less in life than in housekeeping. Keep the time, observe the hours of the universe, not of the cars. What are threescore years and ten hurriedly and coarsely lived to moments of divine leisure in which your life is coincident with the life of the universe? We live too fast and coarsely, just as we eat too fast and do not know the true savor of our food. We consult our will and understanding and the expectation of men, not our genius.—Thoreau.

Inducements to Matrimony.

There prevails in some parts of Brittany a curious marriage custom. On certain fete days the marriageable girls appear in red petticoats, with white or yellow borders around them. The number of borders denotes the portion the father is willing to give his daughter. Each white band denotes 100 francs per annum; each yellow band represents 1,000 francs a year.

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